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The message of Boatswain Wilkinson was in response to an offer from the Navy Department to send tug Sonoma to the Potomac's assistance In his message from Norris Point, Newfoundland, Boatswain Wilkinson said

Do not think it possible for Sonoma to reach Potomac ice 20 feet thick at present, great risk of being crushed from best local knowledge southerly wind will carry Potomac north which will endanger her going through Straits of Belle Isle. If so, destruction certain

Acting Secretary Roosevelt instructed Wilkinson to make the safety of the Potomac's crew the first consideration and to call upon the department for any assistance

### ALL BUT TWO VOTED FOR IT.

#### Names of Republican City Committee Which Endorsed Charter Change

The News is in a position today to state from authentic sources what was reported originally that at the meeting of the Republican committee when the charter amendments were adopted, all but two members voted for the introduction of the bill into the General Assembly A the hearing today Mr MacLellan announced that he was one who opposed the committee action Since there have been many inquiries as to who the other members of the committee are thir names ar printed as follows

First Ward—Fletcher W Lawton Joseph B Pike Edwin S Manuel William J Carr Armstead Hurley

Second Ward—George W Ritchie Sidney D Harvey William H Jackson John T Delano Jr William MacLeod

Third Ward—Herbert Bliss Edward A Sherman George N Buckout George H Draper Max Levy

Fourth Ward—John T Allan John H Reuter Frank S Pember Alexander MacLellan Clark C Brown

Fifth Ward—James McLeish John Mahan Andrew S Meikle, Francis G Wilbur James Brown

### SENT BY WIRELESS.

#### Message From Argentine Battleship Rivadavia on Trial Run

The Newport wireless station this noon received a message sent by Argentine battleship Rivadavia to the Fore River Shipbuilding Company at Quincy Mass as follows Passed Highlands at noon Will dock about 3 o'clock Have four tugs ready All well

The Rivadavia has been out since last Wednesday for her final acceptance trials The ship developed 20.4 knots an hour for 30 consecutive hours a half knot better than the contract requirements

### PROBATE COURT

In the probate court this morning an exemplified copy of the will of Edward Shippen Willing was ordered filed and recorded The real estate in Newport is left to his son John Rhett Barton Willing

The first and final account of the executor of the estate of Stephen P Barker was allowed and ordered recorded Paid to Betsey B Dunham $6 834 62 to David F Easterbrooks trustee $14 114 95

The first and final account of the executor on the estate of John Barry was allowed Daniel Catherine, Margaret and Joseph Barry receive $2, each James Connerton $100 John Michael Daniel Lawrence and William Connerton $25 each Lawrence T Barry $9543

The inventory of the estate of Daniel Shea $679 10 was ordered recorded

The inventory of the estate of James F Mauran and the account with the estate of Richard J Sharkey, were continued to March 2

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"Do not think it possible for Sonoma to reach Potomac; ice 20 feet thick at present; great risk of being crushed; from best local knowledge southerly wind will carry Potomac north, which will endanger her going through Straits of Belle Isle. If so, destruction certain."

Acting Secretary Roosevelt instructed Wilkinson to make the safety of the Potomac's crew the first consideration, and to call upon the department for any assistance.

### ALL BUT TWO VOTED FOR IT.

#### Names of Republican City Committee Which Endorsed Charter Change.

The News is in a position today to state from authentic sources what was reported originally that, at the meeting of the Republican committee when the charter amendments were adopted, all but two members voted for the introduction of the bill into the General Assembly. At the hearing today Mr. MacLellan announced that he was one who opposed the committee action. Since there have been many inquiries as to who the other members of the committee are their names ar printed, as follows:

First Ward—Fletcher W. Lawton, Joseph B. Pike, Edwin S. Manuel, William J. Carr, Armstead Hurley.

Second Ward—George W. Ritchie, Sidney D. Harvey, William H. Jackson, John T. Delano, Jr., William MacLeod.

Third Ward—Herbert Bliss, Edward A. Sherman, George N. Buckout, George H. Draper, Max Levy.

Fourth Ward—John T. Alain, John H. Reuter, Frank S. Pember, Alexander MacLellan, Clark C. Brown.

Fifth Ward—James McLeish, John Mahan, Andrew S. Mackie, Francis G. Wilbar, James Brown.

### SENT BY WIRELESS.

#### Message From Argentine Battleship Rivadavia on Trial Run.

The Newport wireless station this noon received a message sent by Argentine battleship Rivadavia to the Fore River Shipbuilding Company at Quincy, Mass., as follows: "Passed Highlands at noon. Will dock about 3 o'clock. Have four tugs ready. All well."

The Rivadavia has been out since last Wednesday for her final acceptance trials. The ship developed 20½ knots an hour for 30 consecutive hours, a half-knot better than the contract requirements.

### PROBATE COURT.

In the probate court this morning an exemplified copy of the will of Edward Shippen Willing was ordered filed and recorded. The real estate in Newport is left to his son, John Rhea Barton Willing.

The first and final account of the executor of the estate of Stephen P. Barker was allowed and ordered recorded. Paid to Betsey B. Dunham, $6,634.62; to David P. Easterbrooks, trustee, $44,114.93.

The first and final account of the executor on the estate of John Barry was allowed. Daniel, Catherine, Margaret and Joseph Barry receive $25 each, James Connerton, $100; John, Michael, Daniel, Lawrence and William Connerton, $25 each; Lawrence J. Barry, $2543.

The inventory of the estate of Daniel Shea, $679.10, was ordered recorded.

The inventory of the estate of James E. Mauran, and the account with the estate of Richard J. Sharkey, were continued to March 2.

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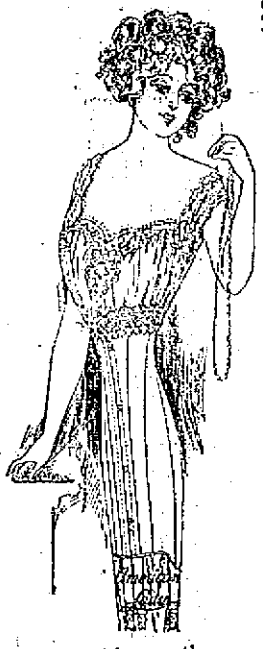

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# TALLY ON SECOND TEAM DOUBLED.

## Gopher Athletic Club Secures Sure Lead Over the Army and Navy.

### Red, White and Blues, Midgets, Queen's Five and St. Mary's Reds Win Y. M. C. A. Basket Ball.

In one of the usual high-scoring matches at the Army and Navy Young Men's Christian Association, Saturday evening, the Gopher Athletic Club doubled the tally on the Army and Navy second team, winning by a margin of 52-26. The game was of the greater interest in the first half, when the scoring was fairly even and the playing fast, but once the Gophers started in the second the team work and shooting of the Army and Navy dropped considerably, until the Gophers had secured a sure lead. Both teams blocked well and scored with reasonable frequency in the first half, the Army and Navy taking a short lead which was soon overtaken so that by the end the Gophers were leading by a score of 18-10. Towards the close of the second half the Gophers began to score rapidly, and when half time was called led the government team by a large score of 34-16.

The excellent shooting of Sullivan at forward for the winners was the feature, this youngster scoring 13 goals, or as many points as the whole Army and Navy quintet. Ferrick and McGowan were also good for the winners, while Rauscher and McNally excelled for the Army and Navy second team. The line-up and summary follow:

| Gophers. | Army and Navy Second |
|---|---|
| Ferrick, r. f. | l. g., Conceen |
| Sullivan, l. f. | r. g., Doran |
| McInnis, c. | c., Rauscher |
| Leary, r. g. | l. f., Williams |
| McGowan, l. g. | r. f., McNally |

Score—Gophers 52 Army and Navy Second 26. Goals from floor—Sullivan 13, Ferrick 6, McGowan 6, Leary; Rauschr 6, McNally 4, Williams 3. Referee—Conahay. Scorer—Sullivan. Timer—Conahay. Time—20-minute halves.

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In the first contest, between the Red White and Blues and the Lime Rocks the Red, White and Blues won largely by the lead they piled up in the first half, as the scoring in the second was practically even. The Association team won by a score of 19-8, the Lime Rocks failing to come into the limelight until the second half. During the first period the Red, White and Blues had things all their own way and when half-time was called led by a score of 10-0. In the second half the Lime Rocks scored as many field goals as did the Red, White and Blues, but a foul goal enabled the winners to lead by a score of 9-8 for the half.

Anderson was high scorer for the Red, White and Blues, while Connell and Smith also played well. A. Dannin excelled for the Lime Rocks. Line-up and summary:

| Red, White and Blues. | Lime Rocks |
|---|---|
| Anderson r. f. | l. g, Henderson |
| Connell, l. f. | r. g, J. Dannin |
| Smith, c. | c, Dring |
| A. Edes, r. g | l. f., A. Dannin |
| Holm, l. g | r. f., Cassidy |

Score—Red, White and Blues 19, Lime Rocks 8. Goals from floor—Anderson 4, Connell 3, Smith 2; A. Dannin 2, Dring, Cassidy. Goal from foul line—Anderson. Referee—Slocum. Scorer—Underwood. Timer—Smith. Time—10-minute halves.

The high school Midgets then proceeded to defeat the Mince Pies in artistic manner by a score of 24-0. The Midgets' strong defensive work was not productive of many shots for the Mince Pies, who did not have a chance. In the first half the score was 12-0 in favor of the Midgets, who proceeded to make the same number of points in the second, while the Mince Pies tallied just as many as they secured in the first half, none Mahoney and Sullivan were the stars. The line-up and summary.

| Rogers Midgets. | Mince Pies. |
|---|---|
| Mitchell, r. f. | l. g., Bancroft |
| Sullivan, l. f. | r. g., Havican |
| Mahoney, c. | c., Tolerson |
| Anthony, Kelly, r. g. | l. f., Jestings |
| Quinn, l. g. | r. f., J. Sullivan |

Score—Midgets 24, Mince Pies 0. Goals from floor—Sullivan 5, Mahoney 4, Mitchell, Kelly. Goals from foul line—Mitchell, Sullivan. Referee—Slocum. Scorer—Underwood. Timer—Smith. Time—10-minute halves.

Largely through the good work of Dillon at forward, the Queen's Five were able to defeat the St. Mary's Juniors in an interesting game by a 13-7 score. The Queen's Five were supreme in the first half, which they led by a 9-0 score; in the latter period matters were reversed and the St. Mary's Juniors came out on the long end of the score, which was 7-4 for the period. Berry also played well for the winners, while Sweeney's work was best for the St. Mary's Juniors. The line-up and summary follow:

| Queen's Five. | St. Mary's Juniors |
|---|---|
| Dillon, r. f. | l. g., Dugan |
| Berry, l. f. | r. g., Gallagher |
| Nolan, c. | c., T. Butler |
| H. Dannin r. g. | l. f., F. Butler |
| Vincent, l. g. | r. f., Sweeney |

Score—Queen's Five 13, St. Mary's Juniors 7. Goals from floor—Dillon 4, Berry 2, Sweeney, T. Butler. Goals from foul line—Dillon, Sweeney 3. Referee—Slocum. Scorer—Underwood. Timer—Smith. Time—10-minute halves.

In the last game the St. Mary's Reds succeeded in winning from the Merry Five by a score of 8-4, after a close struggle in each half. The scoring was infrequent, as the blocking was close and the shooting generally poor, but the St. Mary's Reds secured a 4-2 lead on the Merry Five in each half. Harmon was best for the winners, while Edwards at centre for the Merry Five did all their scoring. Line-up and summary:

| St. Mary's Reds. | Merry Five |
|---|---|
| Perrigan, Mahoney, r. f. | l. g., Decker |
| Harmon, l. f. | r. g., Sutherland |
| McGrahin, c. | c., Edward |
| Murphy, r. g. | l. f., Braley |
| Smith, l. g. | r. f., Wood |

Score—St. Mary's Reds 8, Merry Five 4. Goals from floor—Harmon 2, Mahoney, Murphy; Edward. Goals from foul line—Edward 2. Referee—Slocum. Scorer—Underwood. Timer—A. Edes. Time—10-minute halves.

# PROTECTING THE BIRDS.

## Feathered Creatures to Be Guarded on Way to Breeding Grounds.

Reports that the federal law for the protection of migratory birds would not be enforced are declared to be "entirely unfounded and misleading" by the Department of Agriculture in a statement directing attention to the fact that February 1 marked the end of the hunting season in most Southern states and practically throughout the country. "Every effort," it says, "is being made to enforce the law so far as the limited means provided by Congress will permit."

The statement was issued to allay the misapprehension caused in certain sections of the country by the circulation of reports that the law was not to be enforced. Another cause of misapprehension, according to the department, is due to the supposition that the department could change the regulations at short notice, but the law provides that before any proposed change can become effective, it must be published for a period of three months. Consequently, it is stated, it is impracticable to amend the regulations this spring.

Under the law spring shooting is everywhere prohibited, and for the first time the birds will have an opportunity to reach their breeding grounds without being slaughtered on the way.

Reports thus far received indicate that water fowl wintered well in most parts of the country, and, if the mild weather continues, are likely to begin moving northward at an early date. The department urges that sportsmen co-operate in giving the birds a complete closed season this spring, thus allowing them to reach their breeding grounds without the usual slaughter to which they have been subjected in recent years.

"It is believed," says the department "that if the co-operation of sportsmen generally can be secured and the migrating water fowl be protected in their passage north to their breeding grounds, a very few seasons will see a decided increase in their number. It may thus be possible later to modify present restrictions in the direction of longer open seasons."


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Score—Gophers 52 Army and Navy Second 26. Goals from floor—Sullivan 13, Ferrick 5, McGowan 6, Leary; Rauscher 6, McNally 4, Williams 3. Referee—Conahay. Scorer—Sullivan. Timer—Conahay. Time—20-minute halves.

Although the basket ball teams of the Young Men's Christian Association were more fortunate than the previous Saturday, there were able only to split even in the contests Saturday afternoon, the Red, White and Blue and the Queen's Five winning, while the Merry Five and the Mince Pies lost. In only one instance was the game a runaway contest, the Rogers High School Midgets winning from the Mince Pies in a one-sided game by the score of 24-0.

In the first contest, between the Red, White and Blues and the Lime Rocks the Red, White and Blues won largely by the lead they piled up in the first half, as the scoring in the second was practically even. The Association team won by a score of 19-8, the Lime Rocks failing to come into the limelight until the second half. During the first period the Red, White and Blues had things all their own way, and when half-time was called led by a score of 10-0 in the second half the Lime Rocks scored as many field goals as did the Red, White and Blues, but a foul goal enabled the winners to lead by a score of 9-8 for the half.

Anderson was high scorer for the Red, White and Blues, while Connell and Smith also played well. A. Dannin excelled for the Lime Rocks. Line-up and summary:

| Red, White and Blues. | Lime Rocks |
|---|---|
| Anderson r. f. | l. g., Henderson |
| Connell, l. f. | r. g., J. Dannin |
| Smith, c. | c., Dring |
| A Edes, r. g. | l. f., A. Dannin |
| Holm, l. g. | r. f., Cassid |

Score—Red, White and Blues 19, Lime Rocks 8 Goals from floor—Anderson 4, Connell 2, Smith 2; A. Dannin 2, Dring, Cassidy. Goal from foul line—Anderson. Referee—Slocum Scorer—Underwood. Timer—Smith. Time—10-minute halves.

The high school Midgets then proceeded to defeat the Mince Pies in artistic manner by a score of 24-0. The Midgets' strong defensive work was not productive of many shots for the Mince Pies, who did not have a chance. In the first half the score was 12-0 in favor of the Midgets, who proceeded to make the same number of points in the second, while the Mince Pies tallied just as many as they secured in the first half, none Mahoney and Sullivan were the stars. The line-up and summary.

| Rogers Midgets. | Mince Pies. |
|---|---|
| Mitchell, r. f. | l. g., Bancroft |
| Sullivan, l. f. | r. g., Havican |
| Mahoney, c. | c., Tolefson |
| Anthony, Kelly, r. g. | l. f., Jestings |
| Quinn, l. g. | r. f., J. Sullivan |

Score—Midgets 24, Mince Pies 0. Goals from floor—Sullivan 5, Mahoney 4, Mitchell, Kelly. Goals from foul line—Mitchell, Sullivan. Referee—Slocum. Scorer—Underwood. Timer—Smith. Time—10-minute halves.

Largely through the good work of Dillon at forward, the Queen's Five were able to defeat the St. Mary's Juniors in an interesting game by a 13-7 score. The Queen's Five were supreme in the first half, which they led by a 9-0 score; in the latter period matters were reversed and the St. Mary's Juniors came out on the long end of the score, which was 7-4 for the half. Berry also played well for the winners, while Sweeney's work was best for the St. Mary's Juniors. The line-up and summary follow:

| Queen's Five. | St. Mary's Juniors. |
|---|---|
| Dillon, r. f. | l. g., Dugan |
| Berry, l. f. | r. g., Gallagher |
| Nolan, c. | c., L. Butler |
| H. Dannin, r. g. | l. f., F. Butler |
| Vincent, l. g. | r. f., Sweeney |

Score—Queen's Five 13, St. Mary's Juniors 7. Goals from floor—Dillon 4, Berry 2; Sweeney 2, L. Butler. Goals from foul line—Dillon, Sweeney. Referee—Slocum. Scorer—Underwood. Timer—Smith. Time—10-minute halves.

In the last game the St. Mary's Reds succeeded in winning from the Merry Five by a score of 8-4, after a close struggle in each half. The scoring was infrequent, as the blocking was close and the shooting generally poor, but the St. Mary's Reds secured a 4-2 lead on the Merry Five in each half. Harmon was best for the winners, while Edwards at centre for the Merry Five did all their scoring. Line-up and summary:

| St. Mary's Reds. | Merry Five. |
|---|---|
| Perrigan, Mahoney, r. f. | l. g., Decker |
| Harmon, l. f. | r. g., Sutherland |
| McCrohan, c. | c., Edward |
| Murphy, r. g. | l. f., Braley |
| Smith, l. g. | r. f., Wood |

Score—St. Mary's Reds 8, Merry Five 4. Goals from floor—Harmon 2, Mahoney, Murphy; Edward. Goals from foul line—Edward 2. Referee—Slocum. Scorer—Underwood. Timer—A. Edes. Time—10-minute halves.

## PROTECTING THE BIRDS.

### Feathered Creatures to Be Guarded on Way to Breeding Grounds.

Reports that the federal law for the protection of migratory birds would not be enforced are declared to be "entirely unfounded and misleading" by the Department of Agriculture, in a statement directing attention to the fact that February 1 marked the end of the hunting season in most Southern states and practically throughout the country. "Every effort," it says, "is being made to enforce the law so far as the limited means provided by Congress will permit."

The statement was issued to allay the misapprehension caused in certain sections of the country by the circulation of reports that the law was not to be enforced. Another cause of misapprehension, according to the department, is due to the supposition that the department could change the regulations at short notice, but the law provides that before any proposed change can become effective, it must be published for a period of three months. Consequently, it is stated, it is impracticable to amend the regulations this spring.

Under the law spring shooting is everywhere prohibited, and for the first time the birds will have an opportunity to reach their breeding grounds without being slaughtered on the way.

Reports thus far received indicate that water fowl wintered well in most parts of the country, and, if the mild weather continues, are likely to begin moving northward at an early date. The department urges that sportsmen co-operate in giving the birds a complete closed season this spring, thus allowing them to reach their breeding grounds without the usual slaughter to which they have been subjected in recent years.

"It is believed," says the department "that if the co-operation of sportsmen generally can be secured and the migrating water fowl be protected in their passage north to their breeding grounds, a very few seasons will see a decided increase in their number. It may thus be possible later to modify present restrictions in the direction of longer open seasons."


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## MEDAL FOR GOETHALS.

### Reception for Panama Canal Engineer in New York March 4.

With a distinguished gathering seated on the platform of Carnegie Hall, New York, Colonel George W. Goethals, chief engineer of the Panama canal, will receive the medal of honor for distinguished public service March 4. The presentation of the medal, which has been established by the Civic Forum, may be made by President Wilson if he is able to leave Washington. Joseph H. Choate will preside.

The meeting will be in the nature of a public reception to Colonel Goethals. It is understood that if the President of the United States finds it impossible for him to leave Washington on that day he will be represented by the Secretary of War, Lindley M. Garrison; the Secretary of the Navy, Josephus Daniels, and the Secretary of Commerce, William S. Redfield. It is said that perhaps not since General U. S. Grant was welcomed home from his trip around the world will there have been gathered so many distinguished men on a platform as will be present to greet Colonel Goethals.

Among those who are expected to be present are William H. Taft, formerly President of the United States; General Leonard Wood, Colonel Clarence P. Townsley, commandant at West Point; Captain William F. Fullam, commandant of the Naval Academy at Annapolis; Governor Glynn and the governors of other states, Mayor Mitchel, city officials and other civil as well as church dignitaries.

## CHURCH UNITY.

### Great Stakes at Issue in Plains for Acceptance of Chief Tenet.

[Calvin Dill Wilson, in North American Review.]

In the plans for church unity there are several of the churches that make the condition of general acceptance of their chief tenet. They begin their plans for unity by stating as acceptable to them the principles on which all orthodox churches are agreed, as the Bible, the Apostles' Creed, and then offer their own peculiar tenet. As Dr. Ward puts it, "They begin with infinity and end in a squirrel hole."

Assume for a moment that the other millions of Christians in this country agree to enter the 'squirrel hole,' and imagine the triumph of that church party that has gained its point. Imagine the scenes that would follow. Imagine the twenty millions or more of the Protestant Christians of America, people who have been building and supporting churches and sending the Gospel throughout the earth, hosts of the representatives of all that is best in the nation and its history, coming to the feet of the triumphant party, to be re-admitted into the Church of Christ by duplicated rites, as if they had never before been fittingly received into the Body of Christ, and thousands of pastors who are now in the front of the battle, being re-ordained as if they before had never been real ministers of Christ. * * *

But so long as any party insists on its own characteristic tenet, union, if it comes, means the triumph of that tenet, victory of that party. The rest follows inevitably.

In case any one party should succeed in winning over all the other millions to its chief tenet, and all our Protestant Christians were merged in one vast church, with that peculiar tenet triumphant, could there arise in this land a spiritual tyranny? * *

In the consideration of any or all movements toward the union of the churches in our land, we cannot too seriously realize that there are at issue great stakes.

## MENU FOR TUESDAY.

### Fruit Puffs Served With any Liquid Sauce—Maple Custards.

**Breakfast.**
Fruit
Cereal — Sugar and Cream
Sausages — Baked Potatoes
Raised Biscuit — Coffee

**Lunch**
Ham Salad — Olives
Fruit Puffs
Cocoa

**Dinner**
Lima Bean Soup
Stuffed Baked Heart — Brown gravy
Boiled Rice — Scalloped Tomatoes
Apple Salad
Wafers — Cheese
Maple Custards
Coffee

**Fruit Puffs**

Cream together one-quarter cupful of butter and one-half cupful of sugar. Add two well beaten eggs, then alternately, one cupful of milk and two cupfuls of flour sifted with one teaspoonful baking powder. Stir in one cupful of mixed, seeded and chopped raisins and chopped citron; beat hard, fill greased deep cups three quarters full and steam for three quarters of an hour. Serve with any liquid sauce.

**Maple Custards.**

Beat together five eggs until very light. Stir in two thirds of a cupful of maple syrup and a pinch of salt, then add one teaspoonful of vanilla and one pint and a half of milk. Strain into wetted cups, stand in a pan of hot water and bake in a moderate oven until firm in the centre. Serve icy cold.

## INCOME TAX DEFICIT.

### Collections May Fall Short of Estimated Revenue.

It is reported from Washington that deficit in the estimated revenue from the income tax is feared as the result of confusion over the operation of the law and the unfamiliarity of the public, and even government officials, with its provisions. Democrats who handled the income tax legislation estimated that the law would yield a revenue of about $80,000,000 from 500,000 persons, but it seems inevitable that the actual collections will fall far short of that estimate, and probably result in a big deficit in the government's annual revenue. That the income tax will not offset the reduction of tariff revenue made by the Democrats is the contention of many of those competent to estimate.

## AMERICAN TO HEAD AN ENGLISH RAILROAD.

England is greatly stirred because Great Eastern railway has found necessary to come to America for a suitable man for a general manager. Lord Claud Hamilton says that he has selected Mr. Henry W. Thornton because his "career has been one succession of intellectual railway triumphs," and also because he came to the system at the age of 41, whereas in England the railways were so hampered by government legislation that men were too old by the time they had reached the point whereby they were eligible for the post.

## TALLEST STEEL CHIMNEY.

### Stacks in Arizona Town to Be Over Four Hundred Feet High,

[Engineering and Mining Journal.]

The tallest steel stack in the world is now building at Jerome, Ariz., as a part of the new works there of the United Verde Copper Company. The chimney is 30 feet in diameter inside the brick lining, 30 feet, nine and one-half inches inside the steel shell, and 400 feet one inch from top of foundation to top of steel. In comparison it may be stated that Liberty Statue in New York harbor, from bottom of pedestal to torch is 305 feet in height, whereas the statue proper is only 151 feet. The unusual size of this structure, the connections for three flues, and the protection of the steel plate from the flue gases, caused several interesting problems in the design.

The diameter and height of the chimney were determined by the draft calculations; the diameter and height of the bell were made one eighth of the height of the chimney, or 50 feet. The brick lining was supported on the legs of circular angles riveted to the inside of shell and spaced 15 feet apart. By this method the bearing capacity of the brick is not exceeded and any section can be replaced without affecting the others.

The wind load was assumed to be 50 pounds per square foot, or 25 pounds per square foot on the projected diameter, equal to 770 pounds per foot of height. The dead load was taken as the actual weight of steel plus the weight of brick lining assumed at 112 pound per cubic foot. The following unit stresses were used: Tension, 16,000 pounds per square inch, on net section, compression, 10 000 pound per square inch on gross section; shop rivets, 10 000 pound per square inch for shear and 20,000 for compression; field rivet values 80 per cent of shop. The section modulus of any section was computed by multiplying the area of the inside of shell by the thickness.

## PERSONALS.

....King George of England told Prebendary Wilson Carlile, head of the Church Army, that he was a great believer in hard work. "I have to work hard myself," the king said, "and I think it is good for people."

....Rev. Charles F. Aked of the First Congregational Church has resigned the presidency of the San Francisco Church Federation. This is the outcome of the attack on him, following his declaration that he does not accept the dogma of the immaculate conception. His resignation was asked by the Presbyterian Ministers' Association following his pronouncement.

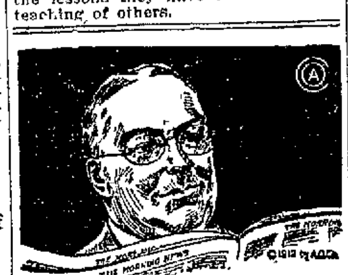
....Mrs. Dora Brock Clay Hunt, who gained national attention 15 years ago, when she became the wife of General Cassius M. Clay, at that time in his nintieth year, is dead. At the time of her marriage to General Clay, Mrs. Hunt was 16 years old. The girl left Clay several months after the wedding, and since that time had been married four times. Clay died in 1905.

...."I wish to remind my children that I was a true son of Kentucky, and that I was a faithful believer in the 'lost cause' of the 'Confederate States of America.'" This is the last clause of the will of James C. Ghio, member of the Papal Nobility, filed at Clayton, Mo. The will disposes of an estate estimated at $1,000,000. Most of the estate goes in trust to his widow, and on her death it is to be held in trust for his four children.

....Impressed with the seriousness of the situation at Mexico City, Nelson O'Shaughnessy, the American charge d'affaires, decided not to abandon his post even for a brief interval, in spite of receipt of news that his father is dying in New York. For a short time Mr. O'Shaughnessy considered the advisability of asking the State Department at Washington for permission for him to attempt to see his father, but he abandoned that plan.

....Returning from a campaign tour of northern New York, Rev. Dr. Anna Shaw, president of the National Woman's Suffrage Association, slipped while alighting from a train in Jersey City Saturday. Her right leg was fractured and her shoulder severely wrenched. Dr. Shaw has a home near Philadelphia, where she lives with Miss Anthony, niece of the late Susan B. Anthony. Last week Miss Anthony fell and her right arm was fractured. Dr. Shaw is 67 years old.

....If affairs of state permit King Ferdinand of Bulgaria will visit the United States at an early date, accompanied by Queen Eleanore and their daughter, the Princess Eudoxia. King Ferdinand is convinced that Bulgaria could learn more from the United States than from any other country on the best methods to develop the industries of his kingdom, and therefore purposes to take with him in addition to the queen and the princess a number of able men, who on their return to Bulgaria will apply the lessons they have learned to the teaching of others.

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## MOTHER'S ALMANAC.

[Lippincott's.]

I tell you when it comes to dates,
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'Thout ever gettin' cross.
You'd think she'd get mixed up sometimes;
At school I know I do—
'Bout Washington and Plymouth Rock,
And 1492.

But mother says, "the war with Spain
Was fought in '98,
The year you all had chicken pox,
Exceptin' Sister Kate.

"The Boer war in Africa—
That was a dreadful thing—
Began in '90, I know.
For Jack was born that spring.

'In '98 the Spanish ships
Were sunk in Cuban channels,
'Twas summer, for you children had
Just changed your winter flannels.'

"In 1904, my dear,
The Russians fought the Japs,
That year was very cold and you
Had chilblains and the chaps."

There are six of us and we're all mixed up
With hist'ry just that way;
Sometimes it's measles, croup or mumps,
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My mother, night or day.

## FANCIES.

Don't judge by appearances. Even a genius may have his hair cut and wear good clothes.—[Philadelphia Record

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Dora—Yes, until we struck a match.—[Judge.

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## MEDAL FOR GOETHALS.

### Reception for Panama Canal Engineer in New York March 4.

With a distinguished gathering seated on the platform of Carnegie Hall, New York, Colonel George W. Goethals, chief engineer of the Panama canal, will receive the medal of honor for distinguished public service March 4. The presentation of the medal, which has been established by the Civic Forum, may be made by President Wilson if he is able to leave Washington. Joseph H. Choate will preside.

The meeting will be in the nature of a public reception to Colonel Goethals. It is understood that if the President of the United States finds it impossible for him to leave Washington on that day he will be represented by the Secretary of War, Lindley M. Garrison; the Secretary of the Navy, Josephus Daniels, and the Secretary of Commerce, William S. Redfield. It is said that perhaps not since General U. S. Grant was welcomed home from his trip around the world will there have been gathered so many distinguished men on a platform as will be present to greet Colonel Goethals.

Among those who are expected to be present are William H. Taft, formerly President of the United States; General Leonard Wood, Colonel Clarence P. Townsley, commandant at West Point; Captain William F. Fullam, commandant of the Naval Academy at Annapolis; Governor Glynn and the governors of other states, Mayor Mitchel, city officials and other civil as well as church dignitaries.

## CHURCH UNITY.

### Great Stakes at Issue in Plains for Acceptance of Chief Tenet.

[Calvin Dill Wilson, in North American Review.]

In the plans for church unity there are several of the churches that make the condition of general acceptance of their chief tenet. They begin their plans for unity by stating as acceptable to them the principles on which all orthodox churches are agreed, as the Bible, the Apostles' Creed, and then offer their own peculiar tenet. As Dr. Ward puts it, "They begin with infinity and end in a squirrel hole."

Assume for a moment that the other millions of Christians in this country agree to enter the "squirrel hole," and imagine the triumph of that church party that has gained its point. Imagine the scenes that would follow. Imagine the twenty millions or more of the Protestant Christians of America, people who have been building and supporting churches and sending the Gospel throughout the earth, hosts of the representatives of all that is best in the nation and its history, coming to the feet of the triumphant party, to be re-admitted into the Church of Christ by duplicated rites, as if they had never before been fittingly received into the Body of Christ, and thousands of pastors, who are now in the front of the battle, being re-ordained as if they before had never been real ministers of Christ. * * *

But so long as any party insists on its own characteristic tenet, union, if it comes, means the triumph of that tenet, victory of that party. The rest follows inevitably.

In case any one party should succeed in winning over all the other millions to its cherished tenet, and all our Protestant Christians were merged in one vast church, with that peculiar tenet triumphant, could there arise in this land a spiritual tyranny? * *

In the consideration of any or all movements toward the union of the churches in our land, we cannot too seriously realize that there are at issue great stakes.

## MENU FOR TUESDAY.

### Fruit Puffs Served With any Liquid Sauce—Maple Custards.

Breakfast.
Fruit
Cereal Sugar and Cream
Sausages Baked Potatoes
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Lunch
Ham Salad Olives
Fruit Puffs
Cocoa

Dinner
Lima Bean Soup
Stuffed Baked Heart Brown rave
Boiled Rice Scalloped Tomatoes
Apple Salad
Wafers Cheese
Maple Custards
Coffee
Fruit Puffs

Cream together one-quarter cupful of butter and one-half cupful of sugar. Add two well beaten eggs, then, alternately, one cupful of milk and two cupfuls of flour sifted with one teaspoonful baking powder. Stir in one cupful of mixed, seeded and chopped raisins and chopped citron; beat hard; fill greased deep cups three quarters full and steam for three quarters of an hour. Serve with any liquid sauce.

Maple Custards.

Beat together five eggs until very light. Stir in two thirds of a cupful of maple syrup and a pinch of salt; then add one teaspoonful of vanilla and one pint and a half of milk. Strain into welted cups, stand in a pan of hot water and bake in a moderate oven until firm in the centre. Serve icy cold.

## INCOME TAX DEFICIT.

### Collections May Fall Short of Estimated Revenue.

It is reported from Washington that deficit in the estimated revenue from the income tax is feared as the result of confusion over the operation of the law and the unfamiliarity of the public and even government officials with its provisions. Democrats who handled the income tax legislation estimated that the law would yield a revenue of about $80,000,000 from 500,000 persons, but it seems inevitable that the actual collections will fall far short of that estimate, and probably result in a big deficit in the government's annual revenue. That the income tax will not offset the reduction of tariff revenue made by the Democrats is the contention of many of those competent to estimate.

### AMERICAN TO HEAD AN ENGLISH RAILROAD.

England is greatly stirred because the Great Eastern railway has found it necessary to come to America for a suitable man for a general manager. Lord Claud Hamilton says that he has selected Mr. Henry W. Thornton because his career has been one succession of intellectual railway triumphs," and also because he came to the system at the age of 41, whereas in England the railways were so hampered by government legislation that men were too old by the time they had reached the point whereby they were eligible for the post.

## TALLEST STEEL CHIMNEY.

### Stacks in Arizona Town to Be Over Four Hundred Feet High.

[Engineering and Mining Journal.]

The tallest steel stack in the world is now building at Jerome, Ariz., as a part of the new works there of the United Verde Copper Company. The chimney is 30 feet in diameter inside the brick lining, 30 feet, nine and one-half inches inside the steel shell, and 400 feet one inch from top of foundation to top of steel. In comparison it may be stated that Liberty Statue in New York harbor, from bottom of pedestal to torch is 305 feet in height, whereas the statue proper is only 151 feet. The unusual size of this structure, the connections for three flues, and the protection of the steel plate from the flue gases, caused several interesting problems in the design.

The diameter and height of the chimney were determined by the draft calculations; the diameter and height of the bell were made one eighth of the height of the chimney, or 50 feet. The brick lining was supported on the legs of circular angles riveted to the inside of shell and spaced 15 feet apart. By this method the bearing capacity of the brick is not exceeded and any section can be replaced without affecting the others.

The wind load was assumed to be 50 pounds per square foot, or 25 pounds per square foot on the projected diameter, equal to 770 pounds per foot of height. The dead load was taken as the actual weight of steel plus the weight of brick lining assumed at 112 pound per cubic foot. The following unit stresses were used: Tension, 16,000 pounds per square inch, on net section; compression, 10,000 pound per square inch on gross section; shop rivets, 10,000 pound per square inch for shear and 20,000 for compression; field rivet values 80 per cent of shop. The section modulus of any section was computed by multiplying the area of the inside of shell by the thickness.

### PERSONALS.

....King George of England told Prebendary Wilson Carlile, head of the Church Army, that he was a great believer in hard work. "I have to work hard myself," the king said, "and I think it is good for people."

....Rev. Charles F. Aked of the First Congregational Church has resigned the presidency of the San Francisco Church Federation. This is the outcome of the attack on him, following his declaration that he does not accept the dogma of the immaculate conception. His resignation was asked by the Presbyterian Ministers' Association following his pronouncement.

....Mrs. Dora Brock Clay Hunt, who gained national attention 15 years ago, when she became the wife of General Cassius M. Clay, at that time in his ninetieth year, is dead. At the time of her marriage to General Clay, Mrs. Hunt was 16 years old. The girl left Clay several months after the wedding, and since that time had been married four times. Clay died in 1905.

....."I wish to remind my children that I was a true son of Kentucky, and that I was a faithful believer in the lost cause of the Confederate States of America." This is the last clause of the will of James C. Ghio, member of the Papal Nobility, filed at Clayton, Mo. The will disposes of an estate estimated at $1,000,000. Most of the estate goes in trust to his widow, and on her death it is to be held in trust for his four children.

....Impressed with the seriousness of the situation at Mexico City, Nelson O'Shaughnessy, the American charge d'affaires, decided not to abandon his post even for a brief interval, in spite of receipt of news that his father is dying in New York. For a short time Mr. O'Shaughnessy considered the advisability of asking the State Department at Washington for permission for him to attempt to see his father, but he abandoned that plan.

....Returning from a campaign tour of northern New York, Rev. Dr. Anna Shaw, president of the National Woman's Suffrage Association, slipped while alighting from a train in Jersey City Saturday. Her right leg was fractured and her shoulder severely wrenched. Dr. Shaw has a home near Philadelphia, where she lives with Miss Anthony, niece of the late Susan B. Anthony. Last week Miss Anthony fell and her right arm was fractured. Dr. Shaw is 67 years old.

....If affairs of state permit King Ferdinand of Bulgaria will visit the United States at an early date, accompanied by Queen Eleonore and their daughter, the Princess Eudoxia. King Ferdinand is convinced that Bulgaria could learn more from the United States than from any other country on the best methods to develop the industries of his kingdom, and therefore purposes to take with him in addition to the queen and the princess a number of able men, who on their return to Bulgaria will apply the lessons they have learned to the teaching of others.

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[Lippincott's.]

I tell you when it comes to dates,
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You'd think she'd get mixed up sometimes:
At school I know I do—
'Bout Washington and Plymouth Rock,
And 1492.

But mother says, "the war with Spain
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### A ONE-SIDED HEARING.

The judiciary committee of the House were good enough to come to Newport to learn what the people desire done with the bill amending the city charter which had been referred to that committee. The hearing was a success in so far as the friends of the present charter expressed themselves and the applause which followed the addresses of those who spoke. If any friends of the proposed amendments were present they deemed it unwise to state their views, for no one "peeped." Every address save one was an earnest protest, backed by deep conviction and a warm regard for the present charter, and that one was in favor of a commission form of government, which was not before the committee at all.

It is seldom that a hearing is so largely attended, or that the speakers are of all parties, the views expressed are so harmonious or the sentiments uttered are so in accord with the people on the benches. If the Republican city committee is wise it will ask that the proposed bill be not enacted, but be allowed to sleep in the committee.

### CLEARING THE SIDEWALKS.

The sidewalks of the city were, perhaps as well cleared of snow Saturday as could well be expected, but there is a class of walks those bordering on closed residences or unoccupied land, which are totally neglected by the owners, from thoughtlessness or penuriousness. The ordinance is explicit, but does not provide that the city shall clear a walk when the owner neglects after a reasonable time to do the work, and charge the cost to the estate, to be collected like other taxes. The Representative Council would do well to amend the ordinance in the interest of all pedestrians and in fairness to those who always see that their own walks are safe. The present ordinance relating to the removal of snow and ice from sidewalks is as follows:

"Chapter 13, Sec. 3—The owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of any persons having the care of any building or lot of land bordering on any street, square or public place within the city, where there is a sidewalk supported by a curbstone shall within the first five hours of daylight after the ceasing to fall of any snow, square or public place moved from the sidewalk adjoining such building or lot; and in all streets where there is no curbstone set, a pathway, at least four feet wide, shall be made on or along the sidewalk aforesaid for the convenience of passengers; in default thereof, such owner or owners, occupant or occupants or other persons, shall be fined a sum not less than two nor more than five dollars; and for each and every day that the snow shall remain on such sidewalk shall be fined not less than two dollars nor more than five dollars.

"Sec. 4—Whenever any sidewalk, or any part thereof, adjoining any building or lot of land on any street shall be encumbered by ice, it shall be the duty of the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, or any person having the care of such building or lot, to cause such sidewalks to be made safe and convenient, by removing the ice therefrom or by covering the same with sand or ashes; and in case such owner or owners or other person, shall neglect so to do, for the space of four hours during the daytime, he shall be fined a sum not less than two nor more than five dollars and like sums for every day thereafter that the said sidewalks shall continue so encumbered."

### PROVIDENCE POSSIBILITIES.

There are indications that the building of a state dock at Providence may really cause at least a slight boom in commercial activity in that harbor. Amid much criticism of the expenditure of so large a sum as this pier has cost, the belief has been expressed that the state would never receive, even indirectly and aside from the rental, a fair return upon the money spent. Not a little ridicule has been made of the entire scheme and those concerned in it.

Now, however, some large commercial enterprises are seriously considering the location of terminals at Providence if they can secure adequate and convenient docking facilities. They have opened negotiations without solicitation, which shows that there is some tendency toward making our big sister a commercial port if the right steps are taken to provide facilities for those seeking entrance there. Whether the projects will materialize is not yet assured, but it is a hopeful sign that negotiations are in progress.

Really, there is no good reason why Providence should not be a thriving commercial city. It has plenty of natural advantages, and now that the government has done considerable in the way of increasing the facilities for reaching the harbor by dredging a wider and deeper channel, and is to do still more in that direction in addition to what the state and the city have done and are to do, there will be possibilities of creating commercial activity which the city has never enjoyed, and those possibilities ought to be realized.

Of course the prosperity of Providence along commercial lines would mean an advantage to the whole of Rhode Island in a general way, since all departments of activity throughout the state ought to feel to some degree the result of the greater commercial stir along the water front. Narragansett bay is one of the finest bodies of inland water in the country and its possibilities for commercial business have not yet begun to be adequately developed.

### RAILROAD VALUATION.

Mr. Prouty, who has charge of the physical valuation of railroads for the Interstate Commerce Commission, did not exaggerate the difficulty or the delicacy of the task in his speech to the Chamber of Commerce of the United States. It is likely to take five or six years and may cost $12,000,000, and while he is fully convinced of the great importance of the work, there are others who see little to justify it.

Behind the demand for this work is the idea that railroad charges should be based upon the valuation, but the charges must be the same for the same service on two or three lines, the costs of which may have been very different. Then the question must be considered whether charges shall be based on the present values or the total investment.

A great deal of capital has been sunk in railroad building. So it has been in other enterprises, but in other business the proprietor recoups himself if he can. The law does not attempt to limit the prices he may charge, and he must charge enough to cover his losses or go into bankruptcy. The railroads are to be limited by law in the charges they are to make, and are not to recoup their losses unless the people who elect Congressmen are willing to allow them to do so.

Mr. Prouty mentioned the San Pedro, Los Angeles & Salt Lake City railroad, much of whose line was carried away by floods. It was re-built in a safer location, but was again carried away and was built a third time. He asked, without attempting to answer it, whether allowance should be made for these losses, or whether "the owners of these public utilities must stand the loss of their mistakes in the same way that the owner of a private enterprise would?" The owner of a private enterprise will make his prices cover his losses if it is possible, and it is hard to see why the owners of a railroad company should be prevented by an act of Congress from doing the same. Are capitalists to run all the risks of experimentation and development, and then be limited to the rates of profit with which a savings bank or the holder of a mortgage would be satisfied?

### REGULATING PRIVATE BANKING.

There is a class of small private bankers, generally doing business with immigrants in selling steamship tickets and receiving money for remittance to the old country, from which the poor, and especially the foreign-born, have suffered severely. There is another class, illustrated by the bank operated by a department store now in the hands of receivers, who seek deposits for use in their business and do not carry on actual banking; the deposits they lend to themselves, and if their other business fails the depositors in the bank are left unsecured. This is the most dangerous of all sorts of banking, because a man is not nearly so prudent in lending to himself as in lending to another.

More regulation and supervision of private banking, therefore, is required, but no one supposes it is necessary for the New York superintendent to investigate and supervise J. P. Morgan & Co., or Kuhn, Loeb & Co. Persons who do business with them are perfectly competent to take care of themselves. They are not wards of the state.

New York has a commission which has been revising the banking laws of the state which has attempted to deal with this matter. The effort is made by classification to distinguish between the great investment concerns in New York and the men who call themselves bankers because they sell drafts for $5 or $25, or who solicit deposits because they desire the money to use in their stores or factories. Even the big investment houses will receive some measure of state supervision, such as they have not hitherto had, but will not be subject to official intervention for the protection of their depositors as the other kinds of private bankers will be.

It is not likely that they will enjoy any measure of subjection to the superintendent of banking, but it is pretty certain that private bankers in New York will not be left quite so free from official supervision as it has been, and the commission may have been successful in providing regulations where it is needed and waiving it where one can imagine no reason for it.

The Standard Oil Company in seeking new territory has concluded an agreement with the Chinese government for the exploration of the oil fields of the province of Shen-Si and the northern part of the province of Chi-Li, providing for the construction of railways and the laying of pipe lines necessary for the development of the fields and the refinement and marketing of the product. The Chinese government will receive 37½ per cent of the stock of the Chino-American Company, with a privilege of purchasing an additional 7½ per cent after two years, the American company to retain a minimum of 50 per cent and a controlling interest.

City expenditures have increased steadily during the past few years and are still gaining. Not only payments for interest on bonded debts and maturing bonds, but the cost of salaried employes, because of larger number and greater pay, has advanced. Newport is no exception to the rule, and it is well to keep in mind the tendency in this direction. It seems to be necessary to have more officers with larger salaries to run a city or a state than the same work would require if for a private corporation. Why?

A movement intended ultimately to develop into a nation-wide campaign against loan sharks is to be started this week in New York, with the promotion of which many of the wealthiest and most prominent men of that and other cities are identified. The purpose is to provide a powerful organization to combat the evil throughout the country by enabling persons honestly in need of financial aid to obtain loans at a fair rate of interest and without collateral. There is need of such a movement, even in the smaller cities.

Minneapolis is to have a $3,000,000 industrial school from the estate of the late William Hood Dunwoody, a prominent miller of that city. In his many years in flour milling Mr. Dunwoody had observed the tendency of college graduates to seek the office end when entering the milling business, and felt that this practice threatened the future of the industry as a whole. Hence he has provided for a school which will train young men in the mechanical rather than the office side of the business.

Ex-Senator Murphy in his earnest protest against the passage of House bill 22 said that heretofore under the old charter city affairs were controlled by party "inventions." He corrected the word to conventions, but he need not have done so, for all knew what used to be done.

Newport has been specially fortunate in having no fires of any considerable extent during the recent cold and stormy weather. Several other cities have suffered severely in this respect.

Newport has spoken.

Winter? Sure.

## BOTHA FEARED REVOLUTION

### Generals of Movement Sat in Parliament of South Africa.

General Louis Botha, premier of the Union of South Africa, declared in the local parliament that the government had been faced with a revolution in the recent general strike. He was speaking on the bill to indemnify the government for its acts in declaring martial law and suppressing the movement with the aid of the military. Except for the action of the government he said the country would have been plunged into a reign of arson and murder. European agitators were exhorting the natives to rise in support of the strike, and the generals at the head of the movement sat, he asserted on the labor benches of that Parliament.


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## PORTSMOUTH.

### Members and Guests of Oliphant Club Enjoy Valentine Social

[Regular correspondence of The News.]

The Oliphant Club held a valentine social under the direction of Miss Lizzie A. Chase, Mrs. Edward W. Thurston and Mrs. Thomas J. Sweet, at the home of Miss Chase. In addition to the members there were six guests. The house had been decorated with valentine emblems, the parlor having large and small hearts, and cupids on the drapery curtains, hearts on the mantel with "St. Valentine" in gilt letters, and the committee wore heart-shaped aprons of red crepe paper.

The first number on the program was a reading by Mrs. Clara E. Dennis from Ellye Howell Glover, entitled "St. Valentine's Day" and "A pretty valentine party," followed by a reading by Mrs. Sweet of "The girl who invented the First Valentine," Miss Esther Howell of Worcester, a graduate of Mt. Holyoke. Mrs. Sweet had specimens of valentines sent to her family from the South 50 years ago, the sender in one instance being now a resident of Newport.

The first game of the afternoon was the finding of secreted candy hearts. Miss Elsie Brown found 23, the largest number, and Miss Carlotta Coggeshall 14. Each received as a prize a handsome valentine. The next number was to see who could make the most words out of the letters in "Saint Valentine." Mrs. Philip Wilbor made 62, Mrs. Kate Bailey 61, and Mrs. William L. Brown the least, 16. Valentines were the prizes in each instance. A sheet was then pinned on the door and an attempt made to pin a red heart over the heart of the man in a pair of lovers, by blindfolded members. Miss King of Newport and Mrs. Clara E. Dennis came nearest to his heart and at the same distance and were awarded equal prizes. The company were then seated on the floor in a circle with a large basket in the centre. Half were given large and half small hearts, the contest being to see which side could throw the most into the basket. One side threw 12 and the other 7. Mrs. Sweet took the prize as leader of the former.

Mrs. Thurston gave a recitation, "Cupid Swallowed." Each was then given small slips of paper with the name of some eatable upon it to match with something properly belonging to it like "corned beef and cabbage." The couples took their seats at the table in the dining room, which had been decorated with broad bands of red crepe paper with big bows on the corners, and in the centre a small tree covered with hearts, cupids, bows and arrows, and long strings of tiny hearts. Fancy crackers, heart-shaped cookies, cake and tea were served. Handsome Valentine cards with a verse of original poetry were given as souvenirs.

Rev. Anson B. Howard, rector of St. Paul's Church, preached Sunday morning from Luke VIII:15. A children's service was held in the afternoon, at which the vested choir of boys and girls was assisted by the regular choir. Miss Edna Malone, the new organist, played for the first time Sunday. Miss Florence Allen of Newport who has filled the position for several years, has resigned, much to the regret of the music lovers of the church generally. The mothers' meeting, which was to have been entertained by the Junior Auxiliary Saturday afternoon, was postponed on account of the storm.

Rev. E. E. Martin preached at the Christian Church Sunday morning from II Peter I:10. There was no service Saturday evening, on account of the bad weather. Sunday evening Mr. Martin preached from II Corinthians VI 2. Mr. Alexander Allwood of Fall River sang two solos, "The Dream of Paradise" and "The Holy City."

Rev. John Wadsworth's text at the Methodist Episcopal Church Sunday morning was John X:3, and in the evening Hebrews XII:15. In the morning two singers from Fall River, Mrs. Tripp and Miss Sutliffe, rendered a duet and in the evening Mr. William James sang two songs, "Abide with Me" and "Jesus, Lover of My Soul."

Mrs. James M. Estes preached at the Friends' church Sunday morning from Luke VIII:30-33. Miss Marguerite Holman sing a solo, "When the Master calls us, can we stand the test?" There was no Christian Endeavor service in the evening.

Master Allen Hart, son of Mr. and Mrs. George G. Hart of Glen street, who has been quite sick with rheumatism in his feet, is now somewhat improved, being able to walk about the room with crutches. Mrs. Hart has recently spent some time in Newport helping to care for her aunt, Mrs. Charlotte Southwick.

The Seaconnet river is frozen over from shore to shore, with the exception of a narrow channel a short distance below the Stone Bridge.

Mrs. Florence Simmons is visiting her aunt in Newport.

Mr. Merill Manchester, who has been visiting his brother, Mr. Harold Manchester of Attleboro, has returned home.

The thermometer at 10 p. m. Sunday night stood at 8 above zero; at 6 Monday morning at 2 above.

Mrs. Jonathan T. Brownell, who was taken ill a week ago, is very low, no one being allowed to see her. Her sister-in-law, Mrs. Oliver G. Pierce of Newport is with her, and a nurse. Mrs. George S. Sherman. Her husband went on a quahauging expedition two or three weeks ago to the vicinity of Nantucket and the vessel became frozen in 40 miles from that town and cannot be reached. She is the daughter of Mr. Benjamin Pierce and the late Mrs. Pierce.

Miss Edna L. Malone will be assisted in her musicale February 23 by Mrs. Gertrude Dimond, contralto, of Bristol; Miss M. Louise Chase, soprano; Miss Marjorie Hicks, piano, and Earl Bowen, violin.

The Public Library loaned 503 books during January, classified as follows: History 18, biography 19, geography and travel 20, science and art 23, poetry and drama 15, literature and language 6, miscellaneous 12, fiction 390.

The Ladies' Association of St. Paul's Church met with Mrs. Benjamin C. Sherman, with a good attendance, and much work accomplished. The president Miss Hattie G. Anthony, presided at the business meeting, plans being discussed for the supper Tuesday evening.

Mr. Antonio I. Martins, who has been seriously ill with pleurisy, is much better.

A cake and home-made candy sale will be held in the near future by Mrs. David B. Anthony and Miss Edna M. Brophy at the home of Mrs. Anthony.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry B. Anthony were given a surprise party last week at their home in Newport, in honor of Mr. Anthony's birthday. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. David B. Anthony; his grandmother, Mrs. Perry G. Randall, and other members of the family from Portsmouth; Miss Minnie Brophy and Miss Josephine Rose were among those present. The evening was spent with games and whist. Refreshments were served.


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**PUBLIC HEARING.**

**TOWER FIRE ESCAPES.**

The Committee on Judiciary of the House of Representatives will hear all persons interested in House Bill 11 entitled "An Act in amendment of Chapter 78 of the General Laws, entitled 'Of Factory Inspection'" compelling the construction of Tower Fire Escapes on certain buildings in Committee Room 228, State House, Providence, on Thursday, Feb. 19, 1914, upon the rising of the House.

ARTHUR P. SUMNER, Chairman.
ARTHUR A. RHODES, Clerk.


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Newport, R. I., Jan. 20, 1914.


## THE WEATHER.

BOSTON, Feb. 16.—Forecast for Boston and vicinity—Generally fair tonight; Tuesday, fair, continued cold; moderate variable winds, becoming northwest.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Forecast for southern New England—Fair tonight and Tuesday; moderate northwest winds.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Forecast for northern New England—Fair and continued cold tonight; Tuesday, increasing cloudiness; moderate northwest winds.

### WEATHER CONDITIONS.

Unsettled conditions, moving eastward from the Mississippi valley Sunday, have developed into a storm of moderate energy central this morning over eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey. The disturbance is causing light snow this morning in New England, New York and Pennsylvania, and will pass off the coast during the day. In other sections of the country the weather is fair and generally clear. The barometer is low over the eastern Lake region and Middle states, and in the extreme Northwest. Elsewhere it is above normal.

The temperature has risen in Rocky Mountain districts and continues low elsewhere. In New England at 8 a. m. it was near or slightly below zero on the coast and from 3 to 18 below in the interior. At New York it was 12 above, Boston 8, Washington 24, Atlanta 36, Norfolk 32, New Orleans 42, St. Louis 8, Chicago 4, St. Paul 2 below, Bismarck 12, Omaha 10, Kansas City 14, Denver 34, Los Angeles 60, San Francisco 54 and Portland, Ore. 38.

### WARMER WITH RAIN THIS WEEK.

All sections of the country, except the Pacific slope, will be held fast in Jock Frost's grasp until after Tuesday, according to the Weather Bureau, but there will be a change to higher temperatures the middle of the week. On the Pacific slope temperatures will average near or above the normal during the week. East of the Rocky mountains the weather will be fair during the next several days, except that local snows are probable today and tomorrow over the Great Lakes, the upper Ohio valley and the North Atlantic states.

The next storm of importance to cross the United States will appear on the North Pacific coast Tuesday, and will cause general rains in the Pacific states for several days. This storm will cross the great central valleys Thursday and Friday and the Eastern states near the end of the week. It will be preceded by a general change to warmer weather east of the Rocky mountains, and will be attended by snow in the Northern states and probably rains in the Southern states. There are no indications that this disturbance will be followed by a cold wave.

### STORM WARNING.

The following special bulletin was received this afternoon by the local displayman from the Weather Bureau:

Hoist northwest storm warning 12:30 p. m., Norfolk to Boston. Storm central over Middle Atlantic coast will cause high northwest winds this afternoon and tonight.

Henry.

### LOCAL CONDITIONS.

| | 8 a.m. | 12 m. | 8 p.m. |
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| Temperature | 16 | 24 | 26 |
| Barometer | 29.30 | 29.28 | 29.26 |
| Wind | N E | N E | N E |
| Weather | Snow | Snow | Clear'g |

### MINIATURE CALENDAR.

Monday, February 16.
Sun rises 6:41, sets 5:19
Moon rises morn
Day's length 10:38, increase 1:32
High water—a. m., 12:19 p. m.

Tuesday, February 17.
Sun rises 6:40, sets 5:20
Moon rises 1:07 a. m.
Day's length 10 40, increase 1:34
High water 12:43 a. m., 1:26 p. m.

**Moon's Phases.**
Last quarter February 17th 4:22 A. M.
New moon February 24th, 7:01 P. M.
First quarter March 5th, 12:03 A. M.
Full moon, March 11, 11:17 p. m.

### NEW TODAY

[Only first insertions listed here.]

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|---|---|
| Lost—Gold Pin | 7 |
| Wanted—Cook | 7 |
| Lost—Mesh Bag | 7 |
| Mayo's Cut Plug | 2 |
| Lost—Skid Chain | 7 |
| Old Fashion Party | 5 |
| Unity Club—Lecture | 3 |
| Carr's List of Books | 5 |
| J. A. Eddy—Oranges | 3 |
| Opera House—Change | 5 |
| Wanted—Dish Washer | 7 |
| Red Men's Club Social | 5 |
| Public Market—Butter | 3 |
| Rooney—Special Prices | 5 |
| W. J. Carr—Kryptocks | 3 |
| Armstrong's Restaurant | 7 |
| Ramlose—Removal Sale | 6 |
| Pratt's Animal Regulator | 2 |
| To Let—Furnished Rooms | 7 |
| J. Z. Lawton—Smelts, etc. | 3 |
| Glazier—Liberal Discount | 2 |
| Herrmann—Afternoon Tea | 8 |
| W. C. Scott—Sausage Meat | 3 |
| To Let—Two Front Rooms | 7 |
| Century Store—New Laces | 7 |
| E. H. Geer—Second Lecture | 5 |
| John Z. Lawton—Smelts, etc | 3 |
| Plummer—Columbia Records | 5 |
| Fall River Line to New York | 6 |
| Providence Telephone Company | 6 |
| E. A. Brown—For This Week | 1 |
| A. L. Peckham—Farm for Sale | 4 |
| Queen's Daughters—Free Lecture | 5 |
| St. Paul's Church, Ports—Supper | 5 |
| P. T. Bailey—Bradley's Fertilizers | 5 |
| A. C. Landers & Son—Flyer Sleds | 5 |
| Young Men's Club—Entertainment | 5 |
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*A ONE-SIDED HEARING.*

The judiciary committee of the House were good enough to come to Newport to learn what the people desire done with the bill amending the city charter which had been referred to that committee. The hearing was a success in so far as the friends of the present charter expressed themselves, and the applause which followed the addresses of those who spoke. If any friends of the proposed amendments were present they deemed it unwise to state their views, for no one "peeped." Every address save one was an earnest protest, backed by deep conviction and a warm regard for the present charter, and that one was in favor of a commission form of government, which was not before the committee at all.

It is seldom that a hearing is so largely attended, or that the speakers are of all parties, the views expressed are so harmonious or the sentiments uttered are so in accord with the people on the benches. If the Republican city committee is wise it will ask that the proposed bill be not enacted, but be allowed to sleep in the committee.

*CLEARING THE SIDEWALKS.*

The sidewalks of the city were, perhaps, as well cleared of snow Saturday as could well be expected, but there is a class of walks, those bordering on closed residences or unoccupied land, which are totally neglected by the owners, from thoughtlessness or penuriousness. The ordinance is explicit, but does not provide that the city shall clear a walk when the owner neglects after a reasonable time to do the work, and charge the cost to the estate, to be collected like other taxes. The Representative Council would do well to amend the ordinance in the interest of all pedestrians and in fairness to those who always see that their own walks are safe. The present ordinance relating to the removal of snow and ice from sidewalks is as follows:

"Chapter 13, Sec. 3—The owner or owners, occupant or occupants, or any persons having the care of any building or lot of land bordering on any street, square or public place within the city, where there is a sidewalk supported by a curbstone shall within the first five hours of daylight after the ceasing to fall of any snow, remove from the sidewalk adjoining such building or lot; and in all streets where there is no curbstone set, a pathway, at least four feet wide, shall be made on or along the sidewalk aforesaid for the convenience of passengers; in default thereof, such owner or owners, occupant or occupants or other persons, shall be fined a sum not less than two nor more than five dollars; and for each and every day that the snow shall remain on such sidewalk shall be fined not less than two dollars nor more than five dollars.

"Sec. 4—Whenever any sidewalk, or any part thereof, adjoining any building or lot of land on any street shall be encumbered by ice, it shall be the duty of the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, or any person having the care of such building or lot, to cause such sidewalks to be made safe and convenient, by removing the ice therefrom or by covering the same with sand or ashes; and in case such owner or owners, or other person, shall neglect so to do, for the space of four hours during the daytime, he shall be fined a sum not less than two nor more than five dollars, and like sums for every day thereafter that the said sidewalks shall continue so encumbered."

*PROVIDENCE POSSIBILITIES.*

There are indications that the building of a state dock at Providence may really cause at least a slight boom in commercial activity in that harbor. Amid much criticism of the expenditure of so large a sum as this pier has cost, the belief has been expressed that the state would never receive, even indirectly and aside from the rental, a fair return upon the money spent. Not a little ridicule has been made of the entire scheme and those concerned in it.

Now, however, some large commercial enterprises are seriously considering the location of terminals at Providence if they can secure adequate and convenient docking facilities. They have opened negotiations without solicitation, which shows that there is some tendency toward making our big sister a commercial port if the right steps are taken to provide facilities for those seeking entrance there. Whether the projects will materialize is not yet assured, but it is a hopeful sign that negotiations are in progress.

Really, there is no good reason why Providence should not be a thriving commercial city. It has plenty of natural advantages, and now that the government has done considerable in the way of increasing the facilities for reaching the harbor by dredging a wider and deeper channel, and is to do still more in that direction in addition to what the state and the city have done and are to do, there will be possibilities of creating commercial activity which the city has never enjoyed, and those possibilities ought to be realized.

Of course the prosperity of Providence along commercial lines would mean an advantage to the whole of Rhode Island in a general way, since all departments of activity throughout the state ought to feel to some degree the result of the greater commercial stir along the water front. Narragansett bay is one of the finest bodies of inland water in the country and its possibilities for commercial business have not yet begun to be adequately developed.

*RAILROAD VALUATION.*

Mr. Prouty, who has charge of the physical valuation of railroads for the Interstate Commerce Commission, did not exaggerate the difficulty or the delicacy of the task in his speech to the Chamber of Commerce of the United States. It is likely to take five or six years and may cost $12,000,000, and while he is fully convinced of the great importance of the work, there are others who see little to justify it.

Behind the demand for this work is the idea that railroad charges should be based upon the valuation, but the charges must be the same for the same service on two or three lines, the costs of which may have been very different. Then the question must be considered whether charges shall be based on the present values or the total investment.

A great deal of capital has been sunk in railroad building. So it has been in other enterprises, but in other business the proprietor recoups himself if he can. The law does not attempt to limit the prices he may charge, and he must charge enough to cover his losses or go into bankruptcy. The railroads are to be limited by law in the charges they are to make, and are not to recoup their losses unless the people who elect Congressmen are willing to allow them to do so.

Mr. Prouty mentioned the San Pedro, Los Angeles & Salt Lake City railroad, much of whose line was carried away by floods. It was re-built in a safer location, but was again carried away and was built a third time. He asked, without attempting to answer it, whether allowance should be made for those losses, or whether "the owners of these public utilities must stand the loss of their mistakes in the same way that the owner of a private enterprise would?" The owner of a private enterprise will make his prices cover his losses if it is possible, and it is hard to see why the owners of a railroad company should be prevented by an act of Congress from doing the same. Are capitalists to run all the risks of experimentation and development, and then be limited to the rates of profit with which a savings bank or the holder of a mortgage would be satisfied?

*REGULATING PRIVATE BANKING.*

There is a class of small private bankers, generally doing business with immigrants in selling steamship tickets and receiving money for remittance to the old country, from which the poor, and especially the foreign-born, have suffered severely. There is another class, illustrated by the bank operated by a department store now in the hands of receivers, who seek deposits for use in their business and do not carry on actual banking; the deposits they lend to themselves, and if their other business fails the depositors in the bank are left unsecured. This is the most dangerous of all sorts of banking, because a man is not nearly so prudent in lending to himself as in lending to another.

More regulation and supervision of private banking, therefore, is required, but no one supposes it is necessary for the New York superintendent to investigate and supervise J. P. Morgan & Co., or Kuhn, Loeb & Co. Persons who do business with them are perfectly competent to take care of themselves. They are not wards of the state.

New York has a commission which has been revising the banking laws of the state, which has attempted to deal with this matter. The effort is made by classification to distinguish between the great investment concerns in New York and the men who call themselves bankers because they sell drafts for $5 or $25, or who solicit deposits because they desire the money to use in their stores or factories. Even the big investment houses will receive some measure of state supervision, such as they have not hitherto had, but will not be subject to official intervention for the protection of their depositors as the other kinds of private bankers will be.

It is not likely that they will enjoy any measure of subjection to the superintendent of banking, but it is pretty certain that private banking in New York will not be left quite so free from official supervision as it has been, and the commission may have been successful in providing regulations where it is needed and waiving it where one can imagine no reason for it.

The Standard Oil Company in seeking new territory has concluded an agreement with the Chinese government for the exploration of the oil fields of the province of Shen-Si and the northern part of the province of Chi-Li, providing for the construction of railways and the laying of pipe lines necessary for the development of the fields and the refinement and marketing of the product. The Chinese government will receive 37½ per cent of the stock of the Chino-American Company, with a privilege of purchasing an additional 7½ per cent after two years, the American company to retain a minimum of 55 per cent and a controlling interest.

City expenditures have increased steadily during the past few years and are still gaining. Not only payments for interest on bonded debts and maturing bonds, but the cost of salaried employes, because of larger number and greater pay, has advanced. Newport is no exception to the rule, and it is well to keep in mind the tendency in this direction. It seems to be necessary to have more officers with larger salaries to run a city or a state than the same work would require if for a private corporation. Why?

A movement intended ultimately to develop into a nation-wide campaign against loan sharks is to be started this week in New York, with the promotion of which many of the wealthiest and most prominent men of that and other cities are identified. The purpose is to provide a powerful organization to combat the evil throughout the country by enabling persons honestly in need of financial aid to obtain loans at a fair rate of interest and without collateral. There is need of such a movement, even in the smaller cities.

Minneapolis is to have a $3,000,000 industrial school from the estate of the late William Hood Dunwoody, a prominent miller of that city. In his many years in flour milling Mr. Dunwoody had observed the tendency of college graduates to seek the office end when entering the milling business, and felt that this practice threatened the future of the industry as a whole. Hence he has provided for a school which will train young men in the mechanical rather than the office side of the business.

Ex-Senator Murphy in his earnest protest against the passage of House bill 22 said that heretofore under the old charter city affairs were controlled by party "inventions." He corrected the word to conventions, but he need not have done so, for all knew what used to be done.

Newport has been specially fortunate in having no fires of any considerable extent during the recent cold and stormy weather. Several other cities have suffered severely in this respect.

Newport has spoken.

Winter? Sure.

## BOTHA FEARED REVOLUTION

### Generals of Movement Sat in Parliament of South Africa.

General Louis Botha, premier of the Union of South Africa, declared in the local parliament that the government had been faced with a revolution in the recent general strike. He was speaking on the bill to indemnify the government for its acts in declaring martial law and suppressing the movement with the aid of the military. Except for the action of the government he said the country would have been plunged into a reign of arson and murder. European agitators were exhorting the natives to rise in support of the strike, and the generals at the head of the movement sat, he asserted, on the labor benches of that Parliament.


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## PORTSMOUTH.

### Members and Guests of Oliphant Club Enjoy Valentine Social.

[Regular correspondence of The News.]

The Oliphant Club held a valentine social under the direction of Miss Lizzie A. Chase, Mrs. Edward W. Thurston and Mrs. Thomas J. Sweet, at the home of Miss Chase. In addition to the members there were six guests. The house had been decorated with valentine emblems, the parlor having large and small hearts, and cupids on the drapery curtains, hearts on the mantel with "St. Valentine" in gilt letters, and the committee wore heart-shaped aprons of red crepe paper.

The first number on the program was a reading by Mrs. Clara E. Dennis from Ellyo Howell Glover, entitled "St. Valentine's Day," and "A pretty valentine party," followed by a reading by Mrs. Sweet of "The girl who Invented the First Valentine," Miss Esther Howell of Worcester, a graduate of Mt. Holyoke. Mrs. Sweet had specimens of valentines sent to her family from the South 50 years ago, the sender in one instance being now a resident of Newport.

The first game of the afternoon was the finding of secreted candy hearts. Miss Elsie Brown found 23, the largest number, and Miss Carlotta Coggeshall 14. Each received as a prize a handsome valentine. The next number was to see who could make the most words out of the letters in "Saint Valentine." Mrs. Philip Wilbor made 62, Mrs. Kate Bailey 61, and Mrs. William L. Brown the least, 16. Valentines were the prizes in each instance. A sheet was then pinned on the door and an attempt made to pin a red heart over the heart of the man in a pair of lovers, by blindfolded members. Miss King of Newport and Mrs. Clara E. Dennis came nearest to his heart and at the same distance and were awarded equal prizes. The company were then seated on the floor in a circle with a large basket in the centre. Half were given large and half small hearts, the content being to see which side could throw the most into the basket. One side threw 12 and the other 7. Mrs. Sweet took the prize as leader of the former.

Mrs. Thurston gave a recitation, "Cupid Swallowed." Each was then given small slips of paper with the name of some eatable upon it to match with something properly belonging to it like "corned beef and cabbage." The couples took their seats at the table in the dining room, which had been decorated with broad bands of red crepe paper with big bows on the corners, and in the centre a small tree covered with hearts, cupids, bows and arrows, and long strings of tiny hearts. Fancy crackers, heart-shaped cookies, cake and tea were served. Handsome Valentine cards with a verse of original poetry were given as souvenirs.

Rev. Anson B. Howard, rector of St. Paul's Church, preached Sunday morning from Luke VIII:15. A children's service was held in the afternoon, at which the vested choir of boys and girls was assisted by the regular choir. Miss Edna Malone, the new organist, played for the first time Sunday. Miss Florence Allen of Newport who has filled the position for several years, has resigned, much to the regret of the music lovers of the church generally. The mothers' meeting, which was to have been entertained by the Junior Auxiliary Saturday afternoon, was postponed on account of the storm.

Rev. E. E. Martin preached at the Christian Church Sunday morning from II Peter 1:10. There was no service Saturday evening, on account of the bad weather. Sunday evening Mr Martin preached from II Corinthians VI:2. Mr. Alexander Allwood of Fall River sang two solos, "The Dream of Paradise" and "The Holy City."

Rev. John Wadsworth's text at the Methodist Episcopal Church Sunday morning was John X:3, and in the evening Hebrews XII:15. In the morning two singers from Fall River, Mrs. Tripp and Miss Suttiffe, rendered a duet and in the evening Mr. William James sang two solos, "Abide with Me" and "Jesus, Lover of My Soul."

Mrs. James M. Estes preached at the Friends' church Sunday morning from Luke VIII:30-33. Miss Marguerite Holman sing a solo, "When the Master calls us, can we stand the test?" There was no Christian Endeavor service in the evening.

Master Allen Hart, son of Mr. and Mrs. George G. Hart of Glen street, who has been quite sick with rheumatism in his feet, is now somewhat improved, being able to walk about the room with crutches. Mrs. Hart has recently spent some time in Newport helping to care for her aunt, Mrs. Charlotte Southwick.

The Seaconnet river is frozen over from shore to shore, with the exception of a narrow channel a short distance below the Stone Bridge.

Mrs. Florence Simmons is visiting her aunt in Newport.

Mr. Merill Manchester, who has been visiting his brother, Mr. Harold Manchester of Attleboro, has returned home.

The thermometer at 10 p. m. Sunday night stood at 6 above zero; at 6 Monday morning at 2 above.

Mrs. Jonathan T. Brownell, who was taken ill a week ago, is very low, no one being allowed to see her. Her sister-in-law, Mrs. Oliver G. Pierce of Newport is with her, and a nurse, Mrs. George S. Sherman. Her husband went on a quahauging expedition two or three weeks ago to the vicinity of Nantucket and the vessel became frozen in 40 miles from that town and cannot be reached. She is the daughter of Mr. Benjamin Pierce and the late Mrs. Pierce.

Miss Edna L. Malone will be assisted in her musicale February 23 by Mrs. Gertrude Dimond, contralto, of Bristol; Miss M. Louise Chase, soprano; Miss Marjorie Hicks, piano, and Earl Bowen, violin.

The Public Library loaned 503 books during January, classified as follows: History 18, biography 19, geography and travel 20, science and art 23, poetry and drama 15, literature and language 6, miscellaneous 12, fiction 390.

The Ladies' Association of St. Paul's Church met with Mrs. Benjamin C. Sherman, with a good attendance, and much work accomplished. The president, Miss Hattie G. Anthony, presided at the business meeting, plans being discussed for the supper Tuesday evening.

Mr. Antonio I. Martins, who has been seriously ill with pleurisy, is much better.

A cake and home-made candy sale will be held in the near future by Mrs. David B. Anthony and Miss Edna M. Brophy at the home of Mrs. Anthony.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry B. Anthony were given a surprise party last week at their home in Newport, in honor of Mr. Anthony's birthday. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. David B. Anthony; his grandmother, Mrs. Perry G. Randall, and other members of the family from Portsmouth: Miss Minnie Brophy and Miss Josephine Rose were among those present. The evening was spent with games and whist. Refreshments were served.


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## THE WEATHER.

BOSTON, Feb. 16.—Forecast for Boston and vicinity—Generally fair tonight; Tuesday, fair, continued cold; moderate variable winds, becoming northwest.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Forecast for southern New England—Fair tonight and Tuesday; moderate northwest winds.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Forecast for northern New England—Fair and continued cold tonight; Tuesday, increasing cloudiness; moderate northwest winds.

### WEATHER CONDITIONS.

Unsettled conditions, moving eastward from the Mississippi valley Sunday, have developed into a storm of moderate energy central this morning over eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey. The disturbance is causing light snow this morning in New England, New York and Pennsylvania, and will pass off the coast during the day. In other sections of the country the weather is fair and generally clear. The barometer is low over the eastern Lake region and Middle states, and in the extreme Northwest. Elsewhere it is above normal.

The temperature has risen in Rocky Mountain districts and continues low elsewhere. In New England at 8 p. m. it was near or slightly below zero on the coast and from 3 to 18 below in the interior. At New York it was 12 above, Boston 8, Washington 24, Atlanta 36, Norfolk 32, New Orleans 42, St. Louis 8, Chicago 4, St. Paul 2 below, Bismarck 12, Omaha 10, Kansas City 14, Denver 34, Los Angeles 60, San Francisco 54 and Portland, Ore. 38.

### WARMER WITH RAIN THIS WEEK.

All sections of the country, except the Pacific slope, will be held fast in Jack Frost's grasp until after Tuesday, according to the Weather Bureau, but there will be a change to higher temperatures the middle of the week. On the Pacific slope temperatures will average near or above the normal during the week. East of the Rocky mountains the weather will be fair during the next several days, except that local snows are probable today and tomorrow over the Great Lakes, the upper Ohio valley and the North Atlantic states.

The next storm of importance to cross the United States will appear on the North Pacific coast Tuesday, and will cause general rains in the Pacific states for several days. This storm will cross the great central valleys Thursday and Friday and the Eastern states near the end of the week. It will be preceded by a general change to warmer weather east of the Rocky mountains, and will be attended by snow in the Northern states and probably rains in the Southern states. There are no indications that this disturbance will be followed by a cold wave.

### STORM WARNING.

The following special bulletin was received this afternoon by the local displayman from the Weather Bureau: Hoist northwest storm warning 12:30 p. m., Norfolk to Boston. Storm central over Middle Atlantic coast will cause high northwest winds this afternoon and tonight.

Henry.

### LOCAL CONDITIONS.

| | 8 a. m. | 12 m. | 8 p. m. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Temperature | 16 | 21 | 26 |
| Barometer | 29.30 | 29.28 | 29.25 |
| Wind | NE | NE | NE |
| Weather | Snow | Snow | Clear'g |

### MINIATURE CALENDAR.

Monday, February 16.
Sun rises 6:41, sets 5:19
Moon rises morn
Day length 10:38, increase 1:32
High water—a. m., 12:19 p. m.

Tuesday, February 17.
Sun rises 6:40, sets 5:20
Moon rises 1:07 a. m.
Day's length 10:40, increase 1:34
High water 12:43 a. m., 1:26 p. m.

**Moon's Phases.**

Last quarter February 17th, 4:22 A. M.
New moon February 24th, 7:01 P. M.
First quarter March 5th, 12:02 A. M.
Full moon, March 12, 11:37 p. m.

### NEW TODAY

[Only first insertions listed here.]

| | |
|---|---|
| Lost—Gold Pin | 7 |
| Wanted—Cook | 7 |
| Lost—Mesh Bag | 7 |
| Mayo's Cut Plug | 2 |
| Lost—Skid Chain | 7 |
| Old Fashion Party | 5 |
| Unity Club—Lecture | 3 |
| Carr's List of Books | 5 |
| J. A. Eddy—Oranges | 3 |
| Opera House—Change | 5 |
| Wanted—Dish Washer | 7 |
| Red Men's Club Social | 5 |
| Public Market—Butter | 3 |
| Rooney—Special Prices | 5 |
| W. J. Carr—Kryptocks | 3 |
| Armstrong's Restaurant | 7 |
| Ramlose—Removal Sale | 6 |
| Pratt's Animal Regulator | 2 |
| To Let—Furnished Rooms | 7 |
| J. Z. Lawton—Smelts, etc | 3 |
| Glazier—Liberal Discount | 2 |
| Herrmann—Afternoon Tea | 3 |
| W. C. Scott—Sausage Meat | 3 |
| To Let—Two Front Rooms | 7 |
| Century Store—New Laces | 7 |
| E. H. Geer—Second Lecture | 5 |
| John Z. Lawton—Smelts, etc | 3 |
| Plummer—Columbia Records | 5 |
| Fall River Line to New York | 6 |
| Providence Telephone Company | 6 |
| E. A. Brown—For This Week | 1 |
| A. L. Peckham—Farm for Sale | 4 |
| Queen's Daughters—Free Lecture | 5 |
| St. Paul's Church, Ports—Supper | 5 |
| P. T. Bailey—Bradley's Fertilizers | 5 |
| A. C. Landers & Son—Flyer Sleds | 3 |
| Young Men's Club—Entertainment | 5 |
| Acker, Merrall & Condit Co.—Hams | 3 |
| Public Hearing—Tower Fire Escapes | 4 |
| A. C. Titus Co.—Finger-Tip System | 1 |

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Providence, Feb. 12, 1914.

PUBLIC HEARING.

TOWER FIRE ESCAPES.

The Committee on Judiciary of the House of Representatives will hear all persons interested in House Bill 11 entitled "An Act in amendment of Chapter 73 of the General Laws, entitled 'Of Factory Inspection,'" compelling the construction of Tower Fire Escapes on certain buildings in Committee Room 228, State House, Providence, on Thursday, Feb. 19, 1914, upon the rising of the House.

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CHEETHAM—In Pawtucket, 15th inst., Mary A., widow of Thomas Cheetham.
WIGHTMAN—In Pawtucket, 15th inst., Stella F., widow of Joseph C. Wightman, in her 76th year.
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## OPPOSE CHARTER CHANGES.

### Only a Single Speaker Favors the Proposed Amendments.

### Letter from Some Members of Republican City Committee, Urging Adoption.

The judiciary committee of the house of representatives of Rhode Island, accompanied by Senator Beeckman, came to Newport today to hold a hearing on the proposed amendments to the city charter. The hearing was set for 11 o'clock, and though the superior court room in the court house seats three quarters filled with representative citizens of Newport the committee was delayed half an hour in opening that the members might receive entertainment from some of the local members of the Assembly. When the hearing started the first from some members of the Republican city committee, explaining certain parts in favor of the proposed amendments. A call for advocates for the amendments did not bring forth any response, and then the opposition was taken up and there was a continuous flow of speech-making.

The city committee, all but two of whom voted for the amendments, were conspicuous by their silence, leaving Mr. Lawton, who presented the act, and Sidney D. Harvey, who signed the communication as secretary of the committee, alone. The communication was as follows:

Newport, R. I., February 16, 1914.

Judiciary Committee, House of Representatives, Arthur P. Sumner, Esq., Chairman.

Dear Sirs: At a meeting of members of the Republican city committee of the city of Newport, held on Thursday evening, February 12, it was determined to communicate to the committee the following facts concerning house bill 22, entitled "An act in amendment of certain sections of chapter 1392 of the Public Laws, entitled "An act to revise, consolidate and amend the act entitled An act incorporating the City of Newport, and the several acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto," passed April 19, 1906:

A—Acting upon a very general and widespread expression of opinion that the present charter of the city of Newport should be revised and amended in some form, so that greater benefits might be derived by the citizens through their municipal government, and acting upon the request of a large number of citizens, the proposed amendments set forth in the above bill were adopted by the committee and, with its approval, introduced into the house of representatives, for the purpose of bringing before the General Assembly and the people of the city of Newport some measure which would result in a public expression of opinion concerning the requirements of the city, and amendments to the present charter so that a better form of government than now exists might be adopted.

B—The most important feature of the present charter wherein the legislative functions are removed from the executive still prevails in the proposed amendments.

C—The intent of section 3 of the proposed amendment is to reduce the number of members of the Council from 195 to 35, to be elected from their respective wards as indicated herein.

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Two or three men cannot control a body of 195, and the politicians want the change. (Great applause.) The Council is too large to manipulate, and that is what the politicians want—something they can steer. This is not a Republican proposition. Republicans and Democrats are against it. No charter is perfect; we do not claim it, as improvements can always be made. This is no improvement; it is going backward.

The Citizens' Association and Board of Trade are unanimous in disapproval of all the propositions. The different changes are so intermingled that they are not improvements. It is fair to assume that the citizens do not desire the change; almost every person approached signed the petition.

In answer to Mr. Lawton Judge Burke said: We understood we were to be met with a monster counter-petition, but it has disappeared into thin air, like all else.

One feature which any man can now secure is a nomination; to return to the caucus takes that out. The city is not a political party, but a municipal corporation, to be conducted in the interests of the people. There is no reason why it should be run on political lines. Any man who can obtain enough signatures can run and be elected; you would take away this privilege. The people of the city want the freedom of nomination guaranteed them under the charter and the amendment would obliterate it.

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Submitting this matter to a special election is entirely unnecessary; we have nothing but elections. There is no public clamor for the change and the city should not be put to the expense. It is your business, Mr. Chairman and members of the committee, not to report the bill if you find the real citizens do not favor it.

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Representative John B. Sullivan was on his feet in a minute, saying he had not intended to speak so early but desired to ask what Judge Burke meant by saying a combination exists which intends to force through the amendments. The speaker emphatically denied that there was any such combination of Republicans and Democrats.

Judge Burke attempted to explain that he was wrongly quoted; that he said the city was run 11 years ago by such a combine, and one seemed to be in action at the last Representative Council meeting, but that it could not live under our present form of government.

Mr Sullivan tried to voice his objection to a claim that there is a present day combination. Colonel Willard objected, saying the matter was not germane to the hearing.

The Chair said he liked to hear Mr. Sullivan talk and the discussion was illuminating but—the Chair stopped and Mr. Sullivan with the full force of his voice stated that he was opposed in all particulars to the proposed amendments. He said the Democrats

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## LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Miss Schroeder, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Johnson, at the Torpedo Station has gone to Washington.

—Mrs. Theodore Ambrose of New Bedford is here to visit her sister, Mrs. F. W. Marshall.

—The committee of Twenty-Five will meet again this evening. It is already behind, the committee last year finishing February 14, but there seems to be no chance for it to finish tonight.

—The ice up the bay was too much for steamer New Shoreham and she made no trip to Block Island today. It was planned to secure a tug to break the ice so that she can make the trip Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Drinkwater, who have been here for the celebration of the silver anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. David Goggin, have returned to their home in Greenwich, Conn. They were accompanied by their niece, Miss Birdie Egan, for a two weeks' stay.

—At mortgagee's sale this noon Auctioneer O'Neill sold power boat Delphine to James T. O'Connell for $725. Despite the storm there was a large attendance of spectators, but there seemed to be no great desire to buy a power boat when the snow was falling, for the price offered was not the amount of the claim and Mr. O'Connell was forced to buy her in to protect himself.

## THE GOVERNMENT'S SIDE.

### Messrs. Parsonage and Kaull Give Estimates of Property Values.

### Figures Made After Careful Examination of Buildings on New Postoffice Site.

Another hearing on the value of the properties to be taken for the new postoffice site was held in the senate chamber at the court house this morning. Ex-Governor Higgins presided. General John H. Wetherell and Mr. Sued and the other commissioners, Herbert L. Dyer, sat beside him. Mr. Hoadly of Providence represented the government and the veteran stenographer Darnell made the record.

Governor Higgins announced that the first business would be to hear the testimony of the United States, property owners to have opportunity to be heard later. Evidence would begin at the corner of Thames and Cannon streets, and go up Cannon street.

Franklin C. Parsonage was sworn and said he had been seven years in the real estate business. He told some of the large sales he had effected in Newport and vicinity and his experience with various bodies here. The location in question, January 19 he examined all the land, and every building and every room in each building of the proposed site. He fixes the value of the land of the Cottrell property at $5 a foot. The area is 9,062 square feet, which would make $45,095 for the land. The building he valued separately, placing the cost to build the main structure at $16,324, the ell at $1,058, the building at the corner of Cannon and Thames at $1,904, the shed on Cannon street "for the ticket office," brick addition, $2,656, other buildings $929 and $292.52, making a total, for buildings, of $25,979.60. He deducts 50 per cent for depreciation, leaving the value of buildings at $11,989.75, making the whole property total $39,085.75.

In cross-examination witness said the Ferretti property sold at $4 a foot. The parts of the Cottrell estate now rented are paying: Store on corner of Cannon and Thames streets $[illegible], the other store $480, ticket office $400, rent for telegraph pole $10. He estimated the rental value of the part occupied by the Cottrells at $600, of the vacant stores $500, and vacant stories, etc., would bring the total rental up to $3,090.

As to the ability to rent stores, witness said the Anthony stores have now been let by leasing the whole building. This is south of Cannon street. On the opposite corner of Cannon street property sold for $2.50 a foot. Property just above the postoffice has sold for $4 a foot.

The Joseph B. Wilbar property was examined, each room being measured. The land was valued at 50 cents a foot, or $1,123.50, and the building at $4,605.16, a total of $5,728.66. The annual rental value is $312 a year. Rental value should ordinarily be 10 per cent; for this property the rule would not apply.

Mr. Wilbar was present and said he had no questions.

The Mary J. Gay property witness estimated at $1,328 for land and $6,293.60 for buildings, a total of $8,328.10. The estimated rental value is $400. Mr Burdick represented Mrs Gay.

The property of Julia and Mary Sullivan was similarly examined. The land is worth 45 cents a foot, or $2,092.95; the building $3,750.55. They are deteriorated 40 per cent from new. The total was $5,863.50. The rental value is $564 a year.

In cross-examination, to Judge Franklin witness said no land without buildings has, for years been sold on Cannon street. Deducting the estimated value of buildings on the Lancaster place, near the Sullivan property, the Lancaster land brought a trifle less than 50 cents a foot.

On the Mary Maloney property, similarly examined, witness estimated 45 cents a foot for land making $2,176.10 and $3,121.78 making $5,297.88 a total of $7,298.58. The rental value is $720. Judge Franklin represented Mary Maloney.

On the Franz Oscar Lofblad property witness made an estimate of $2 a foot for the land, or $1,758, and $4,396.50 for the buildings; $644 is the annual rental.

Mr Burdick cross-examined. The building in the yard is worthless, witness said and some of the roof of the other building is "practically gone, shingles and boards." The place was sold for about $6,000 about a year ago. Franklin street is a main artery, and is changing to a business street. Values have not materially risen.

Witness estimated the Charles D. Dadley land to be worth $1 a foot, or $4,978. The buildings he estimated at $7,326.40, a total of $11,608.40. The buildings are as good or better than when new. The rental value is $1,108 a year. Mr. Dadley was present but did not care to ask any questions.

On the Margaret F. Spingler property, all carefully examined, witness estimated the land at $1 a foot, or $4,926; the buildings at $9,808.48, making a total of $13,734.48. The rental value is $1,260 a year.

Mr. Burdick cross-examined. There are three stores and a barn, witness said. A rental income of $1,900 would not make any difference to witness's estimate. There is practically no transient trade on the street. Witness would estimate $1 a foot for all property on the south side. The north side is more valuable.

James T. Kaull was then called. He is a real estate agent and secretary of the Building & Loan Association, which loans $150,000 a year on mortgages, separating land value from building value. He was connected with the sale of the Integlia property, made by the C. A. Hammett Company. He examined the property now in question January 19.

Witness valued the Cottrell property at $5 a foot. The Integlia property brought about $2.50. In the Lead of Thames street property sells for $4. The total for the Cottrell land he estimated at $21,098. As another witness would testify about buildings, the government did not go into that, but Mr. Burdick asked, and witness said, $39,085.75. These are the same figures as those given by Mr. Parsonage. Witness said he did not remember what Mr. Parsonage's figures were. Each figured separately. Before going over the property witness had estimated $40,000, in consultation with Mr. Parsonage and Mr. Kerr he fixed the value at $39,085.75. Witness said that according to Mr. Cottrell the building was put up before the Revolution. There was a fire there and the place is not repaired. The buildings are in dilapidated condition.

As to the Joseph B. Wilbar property, Mr. Kaull gave the same figures as previous witness $5728.66. As witness said that all his figures were the same as previous witness's, Mr Burdick suggested that they need not be gone over again, but the full form of questions was gone over, Mr. Burdick being excused.

In cross-examination witness said he personally estimated the land of Julia and Mary Sullivan at 45 cents a foot. It would cost $2,500 to put the property in condition as good as new.

At 1 o'clock a recess to 2 was ordered.

### FUNERAL SERVICES.

A funeral service was held this afternoon at Cottrell's undertaking rooms for the late Antonio Maury seaman, of steam yacht Aloha, who was accidentally drowned at Easton's pond while skating. Rev N. J. Sproul of the First Presbyterian Church officiated and Captain Bezanson and members of the crew of the yacht were present. The interment was in Braman cemetery.

Funeral services for Corporal Charles Raunicher of the One Hundred and Ninth company at Fort Greble, took place this morning at the post cemetery, Fort Adams, the funeral party coming around from Greble on the steamer. The men of his company sent a handsome floral cross to the funeral.


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# ALL OPPOSE CHARTER CHANGES.

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### Letter from Some Members of Republican City Committee, Urging Adoption.

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Only one person, Mr. Harford W. H. Powel, ventured to say a favorable thing for the amendments, while many of the speakers waxed warm in their opposition and said some rather unpleasant things about members of the city committee who did not dare appear in the open to favor their political measure. The Chair even rose to protect Mr. Lawton, one of the committee and the introducer of the amendments from the verbal attack of a minister. There seemed to be some fireworks when Representative John B. Sullivan resented what he took to be an insinuation of Judge Burke, but that was but a passing flurry which prefaced the most vociferous denouncement of the amendments.

Among those present were Rev. W. S. Jones, H. W. H. Powel, C. M. Cole, Dr. H. R. Storer, Miss Storer, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred G. Langley, Alexander MacLennan, Thomas J. Gibson, James McLeish, John J. Peckham, Max Levy, A. B. Commerford, Admiral Chadwick, Judge Burke, Gardner S. Perry, J. A. Allen, H. C. Bacheller, J. E. Sullivan, D. J. McGowan, Herbert W. Smith, Colonel J. H. Willard, Michael P. Vaughn, Thomas C. Albro, Jr., Benjamin M. Anthony, Superintendent H. W. Lull, Dr. C. A. Brackett, P. J. Murphy, Alderman F. J. Hughes, W. H. Langley, George W. Barlow, Senator Alton Head of Jamestown, J. P. Casey, Duncan McLean, H. A. Titus, W. H. Tobin, Ernst Voigt, John Mahan, Andrew Meikle, J. H. Reuter, Dr. H. P. Beck, J. K. Sullivan, M. J. Murphy, Rev. H. N. Jeter, H. L. Dyer, A. J. DeBlois, Dr. E. P. Robinson, City Solicitor Sullivan, J. H. Greene, Jr.

Judge Burke the first speaker, said he had been asked by the Citizens' Municipal League and others briefly to oppose the changes. Amendment of the charter is a serious thing. For eight years conditions had been bad and it was necessary to do something. Seven years ago the citizens voted for the new charter, which has stood since then without a change. The amendments proposed stripped of the verbiage, mean simply a return to the condition of seven years ago. The key-stone of our present government is a large Representative Council, and this it is proposed to legislate out without a reason given, despite the fact that the members have been elected by the people of the city.

Two or three men cannot control a body of 195, and the politicians want the change. (Great applause.) The Council is too large to manipulate, and that is what the politicians want—something they can steer. This is not a Republican proposition. Republicans and Democrats are against it. No charter is perfect; we do not claim it, as improvements can always be made. This is no improvement; it is going backward.

The Citizens' Association and Board of Trade are unanimous in disapproval of all the propositions. The different changes are so intermingled that they are not improvements. It is fair to assume that the citizens do not desire the change; almost every person approached signed the petition.

In answer to Mr. Lawton Judge Burke said: We understood we were to be met with a monster counter-petition, but it has disappeared into thin air, like all else.

One feature which any man can now secure is a nomination; to return to the caucus takes that out. The city is not a political party, but a municipal corporation, to be conducted in the interests of the people. There is no reason why it should be run on political lines. Any man who can obtain enough signatures can run and be elected; you would take away this privilege. The people of the city want the freedom of nomination guaranteed them under the charter and the amendment would obliterate it.

The change of ward lines is immaterial at the present time.

Submitting this matter to a special election is entirely unnecessary; we have nothing but elections. There is no public clamor for the change and the city should not be put to the expense. It is your business, Mr. Chairman and members of the committee, not to report the bill if you find the real citizens do not favor it.

The changes are not improvements. The people are anxious to be left alone. At the last meeting 193 of the 195 councilmen attended, which does not show much sign of lack of interest on the part of those elected. The present charter takes the control out of the hands of those few who would like to control affairs.

Representative John B. Sullivan was on his feet in a minute, saying he had not intended to speak so early but desired to ask what Judge Burke meant by saying a combination exists which intends to force through the amendments. The speaker emphatically denied that there was any such combination of Republicans and Democrats.

Judge Burke attempted to explain that he was wrongly quoted; that he said the city was run 11 years ago by such a combine, and one seemed to be in action at the last Representative Council meeting, but that it could not live under our present form of government.

Mr Sullivan tried to voice his objection to a claim that there is a present day combination. Colonel Willard objected, saying the matter was not germane to to hearing.

The Chair said he liked to hear Mr. Sullivan talk and the discussion was illuminating but—the Chair stopped and Mr. Sullivan with the full force of his voice stated that he was opposed in all particulars to the proposed amendments. He said the Democrats

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## LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Miss Schroeder, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Johnson, at the Torpedo Station, has gone to Washington.

—Mrs. Theodore Ambrose of New Bedford is here to visit her sister, Mrs. F. W. Marshall.

—The committee of Twenty-Five will meet again this evening. It is already behind the committee last year finishing February 14, but there seems to be no chance for it to finish tonight.

—The ice up the bay was too much for steamer New Shoreham and she made no trip to Block Island today. It was planned to secure a tug to break the ice so that she can make the trip Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Drinkwater, who have been here for the celebration of the silver anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. David Goggin, have returned to their home in Greenwich, Conn. They were accompanied by their niece, Miss Birdie Egan, for a two weeks' stay.

—At mortgagee's sale this noon Auctioneer O'Neill sold power boat Delphine to James T. O'Connell for $725. Despite the storm there was a large attendance of spectators, but there seemed to be no great desire to buy a power boat when the snow was falling, for the price offered was not the amount of the claim and Mr. O'Connell was forced to buy her in to protect himself.

# THE GOVERNMENT'S SIDE.

## Messrs. Parsonage and Kauil Give Estimates of Property Values.

### Figures Made After Careful Examination of Buildings on New Postoffice Site.

Another hearing on the value of the properties to be taken for the new postoffice site was held in the senate chamber at the court house this morning. Ex-Governor Higgins presided and the other commissioners, General John H. Wetherell and Mr. Herbert L. Dyer, sat beside him. Mr. Hunt of Providence represented the government and the veteran stenographer Barnell made the record.

Governor Higgins announced that the first business would be to hear the testimony of the United States, property owners to have opportunity to be heard later. Witnesses would begin at the corner of Thames and Cannon streets, and go up Cannon street.

Franklin C. Parsonage was sworn and said he had been seven years in the real estate business. He told some of the large sales he had effected in Newport and vicinity and his experience with various estates near the location in question. January 19 he examined all the land, and every building and every room in each building of the proposed site. He fixes the value of the land of the Cottrell property at $5 a foot. The area is 9,062 square feet, which would make $45,996 for the land. The building he valued separately, placing the cost to build the main structure at $16,324, the ell at $1,088, the building at the corner of Cannon and Thames at $1,904, the shed on Cannon street $500, the "ticket office," brick addition, $2,686, other buildings $929 and $292.52, making a total, for buildings, of $26,979.50. He deducts 60 per cent for depreciation, leaving the value of buildings at $11,989.76, making the whole property total $39,085.75.

In cross-examination witness said he Ferretti property sold at $4 a foot. The parts of the Cottrell estate now rented are paying: Store on corner of Cannon and Thames streets $700, the other store $480, ticket office $400, rent for telegraph pole $10. He estimated the rental value of the part occupied by the Cottrells at $600, of the vacant stores $360, and vacant stores, etc., would bring the total rental up to $3,090.

As to the ability to rent stores, witness said the Anthony stores have now been let by leasing the whole building. This is south of Cannon street. On the opposite corner of Cannon street property sold for $2.50 a foot. Property just above the postoffice has sold for $4 a foot.

The Joseph B. Wilbar property was examined, each room being measured. The land was valued at 50 cents a foot, or $1,123.50, and the building at $4,605.16, a total of $5,728.66. The actual rental value is $312 a year. Rental value should ordinarily be 10 per cent; for this property the rule would not apply.

Mr. Wilbar was present and said he had no questions.

The Mary J. Gay property witness estimated at $1,328, for land and $6,193.60 for buildings, a total of $8,328.60. The estimated rental value is $400. Mr. Burdick represented Mrs. Gay.

The property of Julia and Mary Sullivan was similarly examined. The land is worth 45 cents a foot, or $2,092.95; the building $3,750.55. They are deteriorated 40 per cent from new. The total was $5,863.50. The rental value is $564 a year.

In cross-examination, to Judge Franklin witness said no land without buildings has, for years been sold on Cannon street. Deducting the estimated value of buildings on the Lancaster place, near the Sullivan property, the Lancaster land brought a trifle less than 50 cents a foot.

On the Mary Maloney property, similarly examined, witness estimated 45 cents a foot for land, making $2,176.10 and $3,121.78, making $5,297.88 a total of $7,298.58. The rental value is $720. Judge Franklin represented Mary Maloney.

On the Franz Oscar Lofblad property witness made an estimate of $1 a foot for the land, or $3,756, and $4,396.50 for the buildings; $644 is the annual rental.

Mr. Burdick cross-examined. The building in the yard is worthless, witness said, and some of the roof of the other building is "practically gone, shingles and boards." The place was sold for about $6,000 about a year ago. Franklin street is a main artery, and is changing to a business street. Values have not materially risen.

Witness estimated the Charles D. Dadley land to be worth $1 a foot, or $4,272. The buildings he estimated at $7,326.40, a total of $11,598.40. The buildings are as good or better than when new. The rental value is $1,108 a year. Mr. Dadley was present but did not care to ask any questions.

On the Margaret F. Spingler property, all carefully examined, witness estimated the land at $1 a foot, or $4,926; the buildings at $9,808.48, making a total of $13,734.48. The rental value is $1,350 a year.

Mr. Burdick cross-examined. There are three stores and a barn, witness said. A rental income of $1,960 would not make any difference to witness's estimate. There is practically no transient trade on the street. Witness would estimate $1 a foot for all property on the south side. The north side is more valuable.

James T. Kauil was then called. He is a real estate agent and secretary of the Building & Loan Association, which loans $150,000 a year on mortgages, separating land value from building value. He was connected with the sale of the Integlia property, made by the C. A. Hammett Company. He examined the property now in question January 19.

Witness valued the Cottrell property at $5 a foot. The Integlia property brought about $2.60. In the heart of Thames street property sells for $4. The total for the Cottrell land he estimated at $24,096. As another witness would testify about buildings, the government did not go into that, but Mr. Burdick asked, and witness said, $39,085.75. These are the same figures as those given by Mr. Parsonage. Witness said he did not remember what Mr. Parsonage's figures were. Each figured separately. Before going over the property witness had estimated $40,000; in consultation with Mr. Parsonage and Mr. Kerr he fixed the value at $39,085.75. Witness said that according to Mr. Cottrell the building was put up before the Revolution. There was a fire there and the place is not repaired. The buildings are in dilapidated condition.

As to the Joseph B. Wilbar property, Mr. Kauil gave the same figures as previous witness $5728.66. As witness said that all his figures were the same as previous witness's, Mr Burdick suggested that they need not be gone over again, but the full form of questions was gone over, Mr. Burdick being excused.

In cross-examination witness said he personally estimated the land of Julia and Mary Sullivan at 45 cents a foot. It would cost $2,500 to put the property in condition as good as new.

At 1 o'lock a recess to 2 was ordered.

### FUNERAL SERVICES.

A funeral service was held this afternoon at Cottrell's undertaking rooms for the late Antonio Maury seaman of steam yacht Aloha, who was accidentally drowned at Easton's pond while skating. Rev. N. J. Sproul of the First Presbyterian Church officiated and Captain Bezanson and members of the crew of the yacht were present. The interment was in Braman cemetery.

Funeral services for Corporal Charles Raunicher of the One Hundred and Ninth company, at Fort Greble, took place this morning at the post cemetery, Fort Adams, the funeral party coming around from Greble on the steamer. The men of his company sent a handsome floral cross, to the funeral.


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## REVIEW AT CHIHUAHUA.

### Artillery Corps and Field Pieces Present Brilliant Spectacle.

CHIHUAHUA Mexico Feb 16—A review of the artillery corps, with its [illegible]0 field pieces and rapid fire guns, with which General Villa expects to accomplish much against the Federal troops at Torreon presented a brilliant spectacle here today. The parade ground was thronged with visitors. Bands played and the people cheered for Carranza for Villa, and for the martyred Madero.

The guns will be loaded on trains tomorrow and will be sent south under immediate command of Colonel Servin. According to Colonel Servin's latest information he is superior to the Federals in artillery which at first will be used to shell the outworks in the hills south and west of Torreon. Some of the guns will be mounted on steel coal cars. This scheme has been a favorite one in the revolutions of the last three years and will be particularly valuable in and about Torreon where there is a web of tracks.

Preparations of the medical staff headed by Dr Villareal for the impending battle have been more thorough probably than ever before in Mexico since the present series of revolutions began. Dr Villareal has an adequate staff of surgeons under him and a trained corps of hospital stewards. A car completely equipped for surgical operations has been fitted up and other cars have been provided with bunks for the wounded.

## WHITMAN TO RESUME INQUIRY.

### Kennedy's Death Attributed to Prospect of Public Grilling.

NEW YORK Feb 16—In addition to the proposed legislative investigation into the office of the state treasurer left vacant yesterday by the suicide at Buffalo of John J Kennedy District Attorney Whitman was prepared to resume late today the John Doe investigation into graft before which Kennedy was to have been a witness. Friends of the late state treasurer attributed his suicide in a measure to the prospect of a public grilling at Mr Whitman's hands.

There are two matters generally [illegible] concerning which Mr Whitman was anxious to quest on Kennedy. One was the action of the state canal [board] of which Kennedy was a member in rejecting a bid of James C Stewart after Stewart had refused to contribute a huge sum to Mr Gaffney; the other concerned details of deposits of state funds in banking institutions bonded by a company with which Kennedy had formerly been connected. Kennedy had already been before the grand jury but Whitman was not through with him.

Mr Whitman repeated today that he was greatly shocked at Kennedy's death and added that there was no evidence of criminal wrongdoing on Kennedy's part.

Speaker Thaddeus C Sweet of the Assembly who conferred with District Attorney Charles S Whitman regarding the graft hunt Sunday night is one of those who urged the Kennedy investigation. He is one of my best friends he said but since he took his life the day before he was to be questioned concerning the affairs of his office and his connection with the bonding business I think his friends will demand that an inquiry be made. I am sure that everything will be found in proper shape.

Friends of Kennedy here insist that his suicide was due to a sudden spell of insanity.

Speaker Sweet of the Assembly and the other members of the graft investigating committee of the lower legislative house returned to Albany today defeated in their purpose to persuade District Attorney Whitman to act as counsel for the committee but laden with suggestions regarding them for the place.

## THIRD SUIT UNDER SAME LAW

### Sir Stuart Montagu Samuel to Pay Penalties and $65,000 in Costs

LONDON Feb 16—Sir Stuart Montagu Samuel Radical member of Parliament for Whitechapel was today ordered by Justice Sir Sidney Rowlatt of the King's bench division to pay penalties and costs amounting to $[illegible]000 because he voted in the House of Commons while his firm had a contract with the British government. The money is to be paid to Dr William Bird as a common informer. This was the third suit brought against Sir Stuart Samuel under the law which gives any informer the right to claim penalties under similar circumstances. The first two suits were dismissed on technicalities.

Sir Stuart Samuel who is one of the leading bankers was compelled to vacate his seat in Parliament by order of the judicial committee of the Privy Council last year because the firm to which he belonged had become purchasers of silver for the Indian government. The act of Parliament under whose terms he was condemned says that a member of the House of Commons may not be even indirectly interested in such a transaction or in any government contracts. After vacating his seat in Parliament Sir Stuart Samuel was re-elected. He [illegible] appeal from the [illegible] decision.

## NOT AVERSE TO RETURNING

### Ward Negotiating With Stahl to Lead Brooklyn Federal Team

NEW YORK Feb 1[illegible]—It was [illegible] that R B Ward [illegible] of the Brooklyn Federal [illegible] is negotiating with Jake Stahl [illegible] manager [illegible] team [illegible] the New York Nationals [illegible] championship [illegible] his team [illegible] President James A Gilmore of the [Federal] League and Charles Weeghman owner of the Chicago Federals [illegible] Mr Ward [illegible] said that Stahl [illegible] game [illegible] enough [illegible] manager of the Red Sox. Stahl went [illegible] to Chicago [illegible] his banking business [illegible] ready to return.

[illegible] of the inability of the contractors to finish stands [illegible] Washington Park in time for the opening of the Federal League season in Brooklyn several other fields will [be] placed at the disposal of the new [illegible].

## STAHL DENIES REPORT

### Has Not Been Asked to Manage Federal League's Brooklyn Club.

CHICAGO Feb 16—Jake Stahl [today] denied that he had been offered the management of the Brooklyn club of the Federal League. "Nobody has talked to me about becoming a manager in the Federal League or any other base ball organization" he said. "I am in the banking business now and have no intention of going back into base ball."

## ALBANY'S SERIES OF FIRES.

### Ten Alarms Sounded in 24 Hours Up to the Early Morning.

ALBANY Feb 16—Albany firemen responded to 10 alarms in the 24 hours ending at 4 o'clock this morning. While the majority of the fires were trivial two early today threatened for a time to prove disastrous. The Albany Creamery Packing Company's four story plant was totally destroyed with a loss placed at $150 000. Two feet of snow and a temperature of 6 degrees below zero hampered seriously the efforts of the firemen.

## LOCAL BRIEFS.

Mr and Mrs Hamilton Fish Webster entertained at dinner Saturday evening at Pen Craig Cottage.

—At the meeting of the Ministers Union this noon Rev John B Kimber gave his illustrated lecture on "Palestine."

—Rev George Vernon Dickey of St George's Church exchanged with Rev James H Dennis of Holy Trinity, Tiverton Sunday morning.

—Miss Charlotte Pell gave a dinner and dance Saturday night in the tapestry room at Sherry's in New York for her niece Miss Maud Coster.

—Commander W S Sims commanding the torpedo flotilla Atlantic fleet has transferred his flag temporarily from the Dixie to the Birmingham.

—Mr and Mrs Walter S Andrews gave a dinner Saturday evening at Pine Lodge in honor of Mr and Mrs John Moulton of Boston who are their guests.

—Commander P H Shofield U S N formerly attached to the Naval War College staff has been ordered to treatment at the naval hospital, Las Animas Col.

—Civil Engineer Lyle [illegible] Bellinger U S N has been detached from the Naval Training Station Newport, and ordered to the navy yard Portsmouth N H March 2.

—Mrs Grant wife of Captain Homer B Grant gave a bridge party at Fort Adams Saturday afternoon for Mrs Landers wife of Lieutenant Colonel George F Landers.

—The American Numismatic Society has [illegible] from [illegible] Miss Agnes Lodge [illegible] her medallion in bronze of President Wilson. The medallion will now be added to the society's collection in New York.

—On the Army and Navy Young Men's Christian Association bowling alleys Saturday J J Pilster of the Torpedo Station beat the Association record for big pins making three strings of 211 23[illegible] and [illegible] a total of 678.

Newport Council Knights of Columbus will make an excursion to Fall River this evening leaving on a [illegible] train after the arrival of the [illegible]. They go to attend a class [illegible] in the third degree by Fall River Council.

—The Narragansett Whist Club met at the home of Mrs Peterson on Narragansett avenue. The first prize which was a tango shirt waist was won by Mr Harry Ames the second by Mrs Noonan and the consolation by Mrs Harry Ames. A collation was served.

—[illegible] on the Newport Yacht Club has its annual dinner Thursday evening [illegible] something after the [illegible] and unless the members have changed [illegible] since [illegible] will find that there is something doing while the dinner is on.

—The basket ball game at the state armory between the Naval Reserves and the Western Athletic Association of Boston arranged for this evening has been cancelled by the Boston team. The latter had previously arranged for a game with a battleship team at Boston for this evening and this engagement was overlooked when arrangements were made for the Newport event.

—At the evening service at the Mt Olivet Baptist Church Sunday 15 candidates were baptized. The pastor Rev William B Reed was assisted by Rev L W Boynton of the Olney Street Baptist Church Providence and several members of the latter church. Rev Mr Boynton preached the sermon. Five other candidates who were unable to be present will be baptized on the first Sunday in March.

—The members of the choir and the ushers at St Joseph's Church will be given a supper and entertainment Wednesday evening at the Perry House in recognition of the good work [they] have done during the year just closed. Father Hanley has already complimented them personally and [illegible] but before Lent comes he [illegible] to show that their work has been appreciated.

## WILL CARRY ON CAMPAIGNS.

### National Democratic Association of Women Voters in Suffrage Field.

WASHINGTON, Feb 16.—The National Democratic Association of Women Voters was announced today as the latest entry into the political and suffrage field. As announced by its chairman, Mrs Charles Morton the object of the organization is to carry on suffrage campaigns within the Democratic party and attempt to prevent the nomination of any Democrat who is not a suffrage advocate.

Our political work will be largely pre-conventional and pre-primary said Mrs Morton. We hold that all Democrats who fail to support woman suffrage violate the cardinal principles of the Democratic party and, therefore should yeild their places to others. We want the House and Senate to remain in Democratic control.

The association contemplates a state and country organization along lines duplicating those of the Democratic party. It is proposed to extend the work into every state and territory of the United States.

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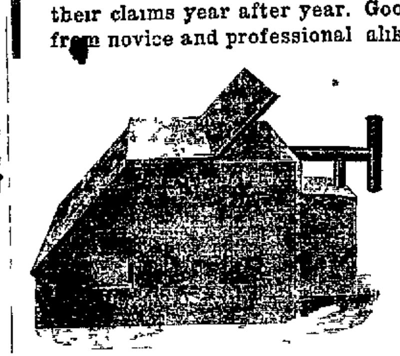

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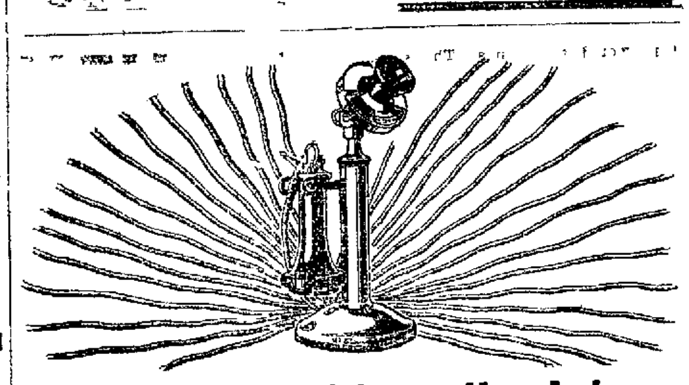

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### REVIEW AT CHIHUAHUA.

**Artillery Corps and Field Pieces Present Brilliant Spectacle.**

CHIHUAHUA, Mexico, Feb. 16.—A review of the artillery corps, with its 30 field pieces and rapid fire guns, with which General Villa expects to accomplish much against the Federal army at Torreon, presented a brilliant spectacle here today. The parade ground was thronged with visitors. Bands played and the people cheered for Carranza, for Villa, and for the "martyred" Madero.

The guns will be loaded on trains tomorrow and will be sent south under immediate command of Colonel Servin. According to Colonel Servin's latest information, he is superior to the Federals in artillery, which at first will be used to shell the outworks in the hills south and west of Torreon. Some of the guns will be mounted on steel coal cars. This scheme has been a favorite one in the revolutions of the last three years and will be particularly valuable in and about Torreon, where there is a web of tracks.

Preparations of the medical staff, headed by Dr. Villareal, for the impending battle have been more thorough probably than ever before in Mexico since the present series of revolutions began. Dr. Villareal has an adequate staff of surgeons under him and a trained corps of hospital stewards. A car completely equipped for surgical operations has been fitted up and other cars have been provided with bunks for the wounded.

### WHITMAN TO RESUME INQUIRY.

**Kennedy's Death Attributed to Prospect of Public Grilling.**

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—In addition to the proposed legislative investigation into the office of the state treasurer, left vacant yesterday by the suicide at Buffalo of John J. Kennedy, District Attorney Whitman was prepared to resume late today the John Doe investigation into graft before which Kennedy was to have been a witness. Friends of the late state treasurer attributed his suicide in a measure to the prospect of a public grilling at Mr. Whitman's hands.

There are two matters, generally speaking, concerning which Mr. Whitman was anxious to question Kennedy. One was the action of the state canal board, of which Kennedy was a member, in rejecting a bid of James C. Stewart, after Stewart had refused to contribute a huge sum to Mr. Gaffney; the other concerned details of deposits of state funds in banking institutions bonded by a company with which Kennedy had formerly been connected. Kennedy had already been before the grand jury, but Whitman was not through with him.

Mr. Whitman repeated today that he was greatly shocked at Kennedy's death, and added that there was no evidence of criminal wrongdoing on Kennedy's part.

Speaker Thaddeus C. Sweet of the Assembly, who conferred with District Attorney Charles S. Whitman regarding the graft hunt Sunday night, is one of those who urged the Kennedy investigation. "He is one of my best friends," he said, "but since he took his life the day before he was to be questioned concerning the affairs of his office and his connection with the bonding business, I think his friends will demand that an inquiry be made. I am sure that everything will be found in proper shape."

Friends of Kennedy here insist that his suicide was due to a sudden spell of insanity.

Speaker Sweet of the Assembly and the other members of the graft investigating committee of the lower legislative house returned to Albany today, defeated in their purpose to persuade District Attorney Whitman to act as counsel for the committee, but laden with suggestions regarding others for the place.

### THIRD SUIT UNDER SAME LAW.

**Sir Stuart Montagu Samuel to Pay Penalties and $65,000 in Costs.**

LONDON, Feb. 16.—Sir Stuart Montagu Samuel, Radical member of Parliament for Whitechapel, was today ordered by Justice Sir Sydney Rowlatt of the King's bench division to pay penalties and costs amounting to $65,000, because he voted in the House of Commons while his firm had a contract with the British government. The money has to be paid to Dr. William Bird as a common informer. This was the third suit brought against Sir Stuart Samuel under the law which gives any informer the right to claim penalties under similar circumstances. The first two suits were dismissed on technicalities.

Sir Stuart Samuel, who is one of the leading bankers, was compelled to vacate his seat in Parliament by order of the judicial committee of the Privy Council last year, because the firm to which he belonged had become purchasers of silver for the Indian government. The act of Parliament, under whose terms he was condemned, says that a member of the House of Commons may not be even indirectly interested in such a transaction or in any government contracts. After vacating his seat in Parliament, Sir Stuart Samuel was re-elected. He today gave notice of appeal from the judge's decision.

### NOT AVERSE TO RETURNING.

**Ward Negotiating With Stahl to Lead Brooklyn Federal Team.**

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—It was reported here today that R. B. Ward, owner of the Brooklyn Federal League club, is negotiating with Jake Stahl, deposed manager of the Boston American League team, who won fame in 1912 by defeating the New York Nationals for the world's championship, to lead his team this season. President James A. Gilmore of the Federal League and Charles Weighman, owner of the Chicago Federals, are acting for Mr. Ward and it is said that Stahl is not averse to returning to the game if offered enough money. When he was deposed as manager of the Red Sox, Stahl went back to Chicago to his banking business, declaring that he was through with base ball, but after less than a year of absence from the diamond he is ready to return.

In the event of the inability of the contractors to finish grand stands at Washington Park in time for the opening of the Federal League season in Brooklyn, several other fields will be placed at the disposal of the new club.

### STAHL DENIES REPORT.

**Has Not Been Asked to Manage Federal League's Brooklyn Club.**

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—Jake Stahl today denied that he had been offered the management of the Brooklyn club of the Federal League. "Nobody has talked to me about becoming a manager in the Federal League or any other base ball organization," he said. "I am in the banking business now and have no intention of going back into base ball."

### ALBANY'S SERIES OF FIRES.

**Ten Alarms Sounded in 24 Hours Up to the Early Morning.**

ALBANY, Feb. 16.—Albany firemen responded to 10 alarms in the 24 hours ending at 4 o'clock this morning. While the majority of the fires were trivial, two early today threatened for a time to prove disastrous. The Albany Creamery Packing Company's four-story plant was totally destroyed, with a loss placed at $150,000. Two feet of snow and a temperature of 6 degrees below zero hampered seriously the efforts of the firemen.

## LOCAL BRIEFS.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Fish Webster entertained at dinner Saturday evening at "Pen Craig Cottage."

—At the meeting of the Ministers' Union this noon Rev. John B. Kimber gave his illustrated lecture on "Palestine."

—Rev. George Vernon Dickey of St. George's Church exchanged with Rev. James H. Denais of Holy Trinity, Tiverton, Sunday morning.

—Miss Charlotte Pell gave a dinner and dance Saturday night in the tapestry room at Sherry's in New York for her neice, Miss Maud Coster.

—Commander W. S. Sims, commanding the torpedo flotilla, Atlantic fleet, has transferred his flag temporarily from the Dixie to the Birmingham.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Andrews gave a dinner Saturday evening at "Pine Lodge" in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John Moulton of Boston, who are their guests.

—Commander F. H. Shofield, U. S. N., formerly attached to the Naval War College staff, has been ordered to treatment at the naval hospital, Las Animas, Col.

—Civil Engineer Lyle F. Bellinger, U. S. N., has been detached from the Naval Training Station, Newport, and ordered to the navy yard, Portsmouth, N. H., March 2.

—Mrs. Grant, wife of Captain Homer B. Grant, gave a bridge party at Fort Adams Saturday afternoon for Mrs. Landers, wife of Lieutenant Colonel George F. Landers.

—The American Numismatic Society has bought from the Danish sculptor, Miss Agnes Lodoerg, her medallion in bronze of President Wilson. The medallion will now be added to the society's collection in New York.

—On the Army and Navy Young Men's Christian Association bowling alleys Saturday F. J. Pfister of the Torpedo Station beat the Association record for big pins, making three strings of 211, 235 and 232, a total of 678.

—Newport Council, Knights of Columbus, will make an excursion to Fall River this evening, leaving on a special train after the arrival of the 7:25. They go to attend a class initiation in the third degree by Fall River Council.

—The Narragansett Whist Club met at the home of Mrs. Peterson on Narragansett avenue. The first prize, which was a tango shirt waist, was won by Mr. Harry Amey, the second by Mrs. Noonan, and the consolation by Mrs. Harry Amey. A collation was served.

—When the Newport Yacht Club has its annual dinner Thursday evening at Armstrong's restaurant there will be something after the dinner, and unless the menu is have changed greatly since warm weather the waiters will find that there is something doing while the dinner is on.

—The basket ball game at the state armory, between the Naval Reserves and the Western Athletic Association of Boston, arranged for this evening, has been cancelled by the Boston team. The latter had previously arranged for a game with a battleship team at Boston for this evening and this engagement was overlooked when arrangements were made for the Newport event.

—At the evening service at the Mt. Olivet Baptist Church Sunday 15 candidates were baptized. The pastor, Rev. William B. Reed, was assisted by Rev. L. W. Boynton of the Olney Street Baptist Church, Providence, and several members of the latter church. Rev. Mr. Boynton preached the sermon. Five other candidates, who were unable to be present, will be baptized on the first Sunday in March.

—The members of the choir and the ushers at St. Joseph's Church will be given a supper and entertainment Wednesday evening at the Perry House, in recognition of the good work all have done during the year just closed. Father Rigney has already complimented them personally and publicly, but before Lent comes he feels that something more personal should be done to show that their work has been appreciated.

### WILL CARRY ON CAMPAIGNS.

**National Democratic Association of Women Voters in Suffrage Field.**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The National Democratic Association of Women Voters was announced today as the latest entry into the political and suffrage field. As announced by its chairman, Mrs. Charles Morton, the object of the organization is to carry on suffrage campaigns within the Democratic party and attempt to prevent the nomination of any Democrat who is not a suffrage advocate.

"Our political work will be largely pre-conventional and pre-primary," said Mrs. Morton. "We hold that all Democrats who fail to support woman suffrage violate the cardinal principles of the Democratic party and, therefore should yield their places to others. We want the House and Senate to remain in Democratic control."

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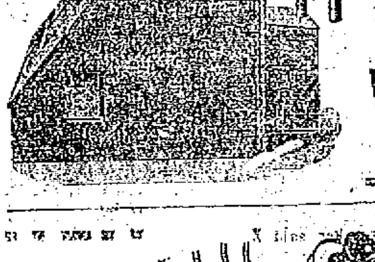

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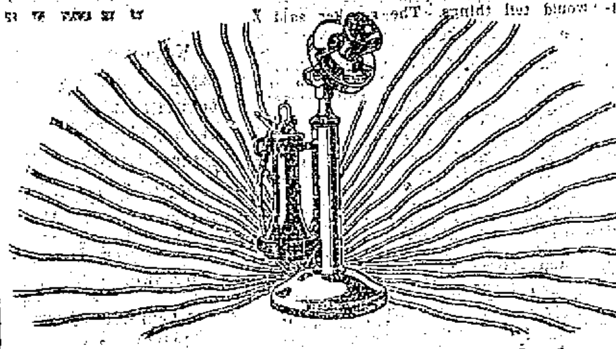

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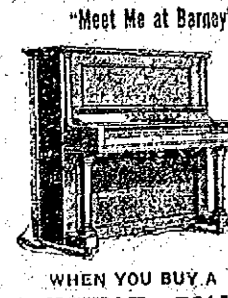

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—Mr. Ernest Howe has gone to New York.

—Mr. Harry Zeldman has gone to Philadelphia.

—Mr. Charles Morrison left today for Cape Breton, Nova Scotia, for three weeks.

—Blaine R. Richard has passed a successful examination for the Rhode Island Board of Pharmacy.

—Miss Hattie Chase, bookkeeper at C. L. Tallman's market, is on a three weeks' visit in Philadelphia

—On account of the weather, the lecture on geography at the Rogers High School was postponed Saturday.

—Arrangements have been made for car accommodation after the Red Men's Club social this evening in Masonic hall.

—The meeting of the Friendly Union of Sailors' Wives, which was to have been held Tuesday afternoon, has been postponed to a later date.

—It did not seem bad this morning and there was no wind, but the Potter school was so cold that grade IV was dismissed at 10 o'clock because it was too cold to hold the children longer.

—The aero station was in touch this morning with Fabre Line steamer Roma, bound for Providence and before reported, two days overdue. The Roma passed Nantucket Shoals lightship at 10:01 this morning.

—A radiogram was sent out from Washington this afternoon to revenue cutter Onondaga, directing that craft to look after the hulk of schooner John Janeson, reported a menace to navigation in lat. 36:26 north, long. 72:32 west, about off Cape Henry.

—The police furnished practically nothing in the way of news for the public today. Nothing was reported for Sunday except snow and slush news, and for this morning the only thing was the picking up at night of a man in the Kay Street district, who seemed to have lost his bearings because of the snow.

—In addition to the big feature, "When the Earth Trembled," based on the San Francisco earthquake, the Opera House is showing "Wild Beasts at Large," "An Academy Romance," with "Dick" Rossen, the Newport player; a comedy picture, "Heaven will Protect the Working Girl," and "In the Days of 64" a war drama.

—Nearly all the local fishing boats made an early start this morning, each skipper determined to bring in some of the high-priced fish for which dealers are waiting. Then the snow came and the Lincoln H and Peter Gondle, which had been slow in going out, were first in coming back, the storm overtaking them before they set any gear. It is thought that the others will bring in fish.

## ALL OPPOSE CHARTER CHANGES.

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will fight them to the end; the amendments are bad and he concurred heartily with everything Judge Burke had said other than regards to combinations. Mr. Sullivan said he had not heard one man speak in favor of the amendments, and he was not even excepting the father of the act, at whom he said he was looking. He said he would neither agree to nor countenance any of the proposed amendments.

J. K. Sullivan said that from the experimental side he had not found one man to criticise the charter. He was opposed to the charter at first, but found his mistake and now believes it is a pretty wise form of government. He told his personal experience in working under the charter, and found it good. Let us go on as we are going; that is all we ask. The speaker had much to do with the petition.

P. J. Murphy came to the hearing to place himself on record as opposed to the amendments. The charter is not perfect, but as practicable to work under as any in New England. Even a seven-year-old schoolboy can keep track of business affairs now. There is almost always a return of some part of each appropriation, showing good management. The principle of the charter is ideal

There is proof in the number of candidates of the success of the charter; 195 can work better on the watch towers than any 25. It is impossible to manage 195, and that is the beauty of the plan; there is bound to be a combination in a small Council. That is the purpose of those behind this bill. If at any time the people do ask for a re-election, it will not be for less than 125.

To elect aldermen by wards is also going backward; they are better elected at large, for under the other plan each is interested only in his ward. The aldermen are not paid enough. The speaker also opposed the change in the date of the election. He said he is a party man in national and state matters, but not in the city. We need no such changes as is proposed for the general good of the community, but it may be necessary for the politicians.

Mr Murphy is opposed to biennial elections. We are an old-fashioned people. We can keep in better acquaintanace with the city officials. If you want the people to vote, let it be at the next regular election.

Beware of those who would tear down our charter. They have been for years trying to break it down. The chairman of the Republican committee is looking for positions for himself and his heelers. Who else is banded together with him? The court house cabinet, the present holders of office.

Judge Robert M. Franklin said he did not appear as a salaried speaker, but simply in his own behalf. He said he had always been known as one opposed to the present charter. He had been against it from the beginning, from the political point of view. This, he said, is the reason why the amendments are now offered; the charter is against the interests of the politicians; it is a political move pure and simple. The movers for these amendments would put the city in the hands of the machine again. The machine, he now believed had been kept off seven years, and should be held off. He was glad to hear that the Republican city committee had fathered the bill. If the walls of this old building, he said, could talk they would tell things. The speaker said he believed the bill started right in the building in which he was speaking and declared that from that building were launched the plans for the running of the state for the past year

Alexander McLellan said that, while a member of the city committee, he appeared simply as a citizen, against the proposed amendments. He read a statement on the benefits of the charter as he saw them, and he believed the charter a good thing for the government of the city. He told of the prediction that it would be impossible to secure enough men to be candidates to run the city under the plan of the charter, but it had been found that this was far from a right prediction. The charter, he said, has been a success.

Rev. William Safford Jones told of coming to Newport 8 years ago, when every one was disgusted with the workings of the city under the old charter except the politicians. The speaker said only the politicians are disgusted with the present charter. He believed in the old saying that it is bad to swap horses in mid-stream, and that were a change to be made in the charter now it would only take the city back to the same bank on which it was stranded eight years ago.

He thought it a very impressive fact that 1080 citizens had petitioned against the passage of the amendments and that the advocates still fail to appear. He said apparently no man dares stand on his feet openly and speak for it. He asked for the friends of the amendment to come out in the open. The speaker said he found himself in good company, with men of all parties and conditions fighting against what not even the mover dares stand up and advocate.

There was thundering applause throughout the room, which was silenced by the Chair, who said he hoped there would be no personal allusions. The mover of the bill happened to be a member of the committee sitting, and so could not appear to advocate it.

Rev. Mr. Jones closed his remarks with "We love the charter because of the enemies it has made." Again there was applause.

Mr. H. W. H Powel talked about ways of doing public business, and the better results coming from a few sitting about a table to consider business matters. He said he would like to see the charter amended.

Alderman Frank J. Hughes said he appeared as a citizen; opposed to the passage of the bill. He believed the present Representative Council is a school of instruction for young citizens and that the aldermen should be elected at large, as at present, and not by wards

Dr Charles A Brackett disclaimed that he came as other than an individual. He said if we consider the present agitation properly there would be two sides to it: one which remained cancelled until a very late date, when it was claimed to be a child of the Republican city committee and promptly denied, as being the idea of only some members of the committee. In essence he said it is only a party measure. The party politician has had his place, but has no place in the city affairs of Newport now. Much has been done under the new charter, but of course not everything. Where the charter has failed he believed was where the politicians had put in their fine work.

The city formerly exceeded its income, but it is now on a better basis. He made a brief review of some of the benefits from the charter. In the first place many of the citizens have learned something about the city's business, and for that reason are better citizens. Many of them have taken such an interest in affairs that they have become unsalaried office holders, and hence not officials of the political type. The affairs of the city are run more like the affairs of an old-fashioned town, and thus the people are able to obtain a hearing and are not stifled by the desires of the political directors.

A large part of the city's most important business, the making up of the budget and appropriations for the year, is determined in the Committee of Twenty-Five, a body carefully selected by an impartial chairman, and representing all elements. If the proposed change is made and a Council of 25 members be chosen, there will be lost the opportunity for making this excellent selection. What a miserable going back it would be:

Under the provisions of the present charter it is impossible for any officer, or head of department to expend any money without an authorization by the Representative Council. As a result the city has no floating debt, no overdraft. If the charter has failed in other particulars it is worth while that the finances of the city are in such good condition, a condition due mainly to this provision of the charter.

In conclusion Dr. Brackett urged the committee not to plunge the city into that deplorable condition from which we have escaped. The present city government is a lively experiment in self government which many believe is the best practical illustration of what a city government should be. Dr. Brackett was [illegible] at the conclusion of his address.

Mr. H. A. Titus spoke briefly, pointing to two significant facts, that no argument had been presented in favor of the bill and that a petition signed by more than 1,000 inhabitants of the city protesting against it should be conclusive proof that the citizens of Newport are largely opposed to any change.

Mr. J. K. Sullivan asked to be allowed to add one thing more to his statement. He said the only persons whom he had heard speak in favor of the bill are the office seekers, who say they do not have time to go around to the 195 members when they are seeking office.

Jeremiah A. Sullivan spoke especially of the clause changing the ward lines to correspond to the Assembly district lines. This, he said, is one of the principal reasons why certain persons are pushing the bill. This is entirely a political reason. The ward lines give a fairly equal vote in each of the five wards. In the Assembly district divisions the First ward has only 790 voters, while the Second ward has 1,400. If the Assembly district lines are made the ward lines, a considerable number of voters will be taken from the First to the Second, enough to effect perhaps a political change in the former while their Democratic presence would be lost in the overwhelming Republican majority of the Second ward.

It is said that the present Council membership is unwieldy. Why and to whom is it unwieldy? The framers of the charter undoubtedly purposely made the Council "unwieldy," so that no person or group of persons could control the members. In conclusion Mr. Sullivan urged that the change of the ward lines is to the promoters the essential part of the proposed change.

At the conclusion of Mr. Sullivan's remarks Chairman Sumner asked if any one else wished to speak, and receiving no response immediately closed the hearing.


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## WALLACE HATCH TO RESIGN

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## STORM IN NEW YORK.

### Fine Snow Adds to Saturday's Layer of Nearly Ten Inches.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—A fine snow began sifting over Greater New York and environs shortly before 7 o'clock, adding to the layer of nearly 10 inches which fell during Saturday's blizzard. Indications were the fall would continue a good part of the day. The temperature at 9 a. m was 17 degrees above zero.

Della Marcus, a domestic, collapsed in the street on her way to work today and died a few minutes later.

With 16,000 shovelers and drivers working constantly since Saturday morning, scarcely a dent has been made today in the mass of snow that fell Friday night and Saturday. In Manhattan, Brooklyn and the Bronx there are 300 miles of streets covered by the snow. It is estimated that every inch of snow removed costs $50,000. With continued cold weather, the total cost of the recent snowstorm will reach $500,000 or more.

## TEN SHIPS OFF THE PORT.

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## FINANCIAL.

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10:45—An active selling movement was begun at the outset today, and prices broke sharply in all parts of the list. The movement was most pronounced at first in the railroad stocks, whose heaviness was ascribed to the further suspension until September 12, by the Interstate Commerce Commission, of the 5 per cent increase in freight rates of Eastern roads. Shares of the Eastern carriers were weakened by this news. Bear operators seized the opportunity to put out new lines, and in the first half hour a score or more of stocks, including virtually all the popular issues were forced down one to 2 points.

Noon—The severest setback which the market has experienced this year came today. Prices at last broke away from the approximate level which had been maintained for weeks. Further suspension of the new freight rate schedule by the Interstate Commerce Commission ended all hopes of a speedy advance, and railroad shares, bought in anticipation of a rise when the increase was granted, were unloaded. Industrials were depressed by reports of reductions in wages of Steel mill workers. Steel, which has been conspicuously firm recently, was sold freely, and weakness of this issue permeated the whole list. Liquidation of minor shares also had an unsettling effect. The break failed to attract outside buying, and the market made no recovery during the morning. Bonds were heavy. Call money, [illegible] 1¾. Mercantile paper, 3¾ & [illegible]. Exchanges, $213,021,121; balances, $[illegible]960,553


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## LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Mr. Ernest Howe has gone to New York.

—Mr. Harry Zeidman has gone to Philadelphia.

—Mr. Charles Morrison left today for Cape Breton, Nova Scotia, for three weeks.

—Blaine R. Richard has passed a successful examination for the Rhode Island Board of Pharmacy.

—Miss Hattie Chase, bookkeeper at C. L. Tullman's market, is on a three weeks' visit in Philadelphia.

—On account of the weather, the lecture on geography at the Rogers High School was postponed Saturday.

—Arrangements have been made for car accommodation after the Red Men's Club social this evening in Masonic hall.

—The meeting of the Friendly Union of Sailors' Wives, which was to have been held Tuesday afternoon, has been postponed to a later date.

—It did not seem bad this morning and there was no wind, but the Potter School was so cold that grade IV was dismissed at 10 o'clock because it was too cold to hold the children longer.

—The aero station was in touch this morning with Fabre Line steamer Roma, bound for Providence and before reported, two days overdue. The Roma passed Nantucket Shoals lightship at 10:01 this morning.

—A radiogram was sent out from Washington this afternoon to revenue cutter Onondaga, directing that craft to look after the hulk of schooner John Janeson, reported a menace to navigation in lat. 36:26 north, long. 72:32 west, about off Cape Henry.

—The police furnished practically nothing in the way of news for the public today. Nothing was reported for Sunday except snow and slush news, and for this morning the only thing was the picking up at night of a man in the Kay Street district, who seemed to have lost his bearings because of the snow.

—In addition to the big feature, "When the Earth Trembled," based on the San Francisco earthquake, the Opera House is showing "Wild Beasts at Large," "An Academy Romance," with "Dick" Rossen, the Newport player; a comedy picture, "Heaven Will Protect the Working Girl," and "In the Days of 64" a war drama.

—Nearly all the local fishing boats made an early start this morning, each skipper determined to bring in some of the high-priced fish for which dealers are waiting. Then the snow came and the Lincoln II and Peter Goodie, which had been slow in going out, were first in coming back, the storm overtaking them before they set any gear. It is thought that the others will bring in fish.

## ALL OPPOSE CHARTER CHANGES.

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will fight them to the end; the amendments are bad and he concurred heartily with everything Judge Burke had said other than regards to combinations. Mr. Sullivan said he had not heard one man speak in favor of the amendments, and he was not even excepting the father of the act, at whom he said he was looking. He said he would neither agree to nor countenance any of the proposed amendments.

J. K. Sullivan said that from the experimental side he had not found one man to criticise the charter. He was opposed to the charter at first, but found his mistake and now believes it is a pretty wise form of government. He told his personal experience in working under the charter, and found it good. Let us go on as we are going; that is all we ask. The speaker had much to do with the petition.

P. J. Murphy came to the hearing to place himself on record as opposed to the amendments. The charter is not perfect, but as practicable to work under as any in New England. Even a seven-year-old schoolboy can keep track of business affairs now. There is almost always a return of some part of each appropriation, showing good management. The principle of the charter is ideal.

There is proof in the number of candidates of the success of the charter; 195 can work better on the watch towers than any 25. It is impossible to manage 195, and that is the beauty of the plan; there is bound to be a combination in a small Council. That is the purpose of those behind this bill. If at any time the people do ask for a re-election, it will not be for less than 125.

To elect aldermen by wards is also going backward; they are better elected at large, for under the other plan each is interested only in his ward. The aldermen are not paid enough. The speaker also opposed the change in the date of the election. He said he is a party man in national and state matters, but not in the city. We need no such changes as is proposed for the general good of the community, but it may be necessary for the politicians.

Mr Murphy is opposed to biennial elections. We are an old-fashioned people. We can keep in better acquaintance with the city officials. If you want the people to vote, let it be at the next regular election.

Beware of those who would tear down our charter. They have been for years trying to break it down. The chairman of the Republican committee is looking for positions for himself and his henchmen. Who else is banded together with him? The court house cabinet, the present holders of office.

Judge Robert M. Franklin said he did not appear as a salaried speaker, but simply in his own behalf. He said he had always been known as one opposed to the present charter. He had been against it from the beginning, from the political point of view. This, he said, is the reason why the amendments are now offered; the charter is against the interests of the politicians; it is a political move pure and simple. The movers for these amendments would put the city in the hands of the machine again. The machine, he now believed had been kept off seven years, and should be held off. He was glad to hear that the Republican city committee had fathered the bill. If the walls of this old building, he said, could talk they would tell things. The speaker said he believed the bill started right in the building in which he was speaking and declared that from that building were launched the plans for the running of the state for the past year.

Alexander McLellan said that, while a member of the city committee, he appeared simply as a citizen, against the proposed amendments. He read a statement on the benefits of the charter as he saw them, and he believed the charter a good thing for the government of the city. He told of the prediction that it would be impossible to secure enough men to be candidates to run the city under the plan of the charter, but it had been found that this was far from a right prediction. The charter, he said, has been a success.

Rev. William Safford Jones told of coming to Newport 8 years ago, when every one was disgusted with the workings of the city under the old charter except the politicians. The speaker said only the politicians are disgusted with the present charter. He believed in the old saying that it is bad to swap horses in mid-stream, and that were a change to be made in the charter now it would only take the city back to the same bank on which it was stranded eight years ago.

He thought it a very impressive fact that 1080 citizens had petitioned against the passage of the amendments and that the advocates still fail to appear. He said apparently no man dares stand on his feet openly and speak for it. He asked for the friends of the amendment to come out in the open. The speaker said he found himself in good company, with men of all parties and conditions fighting against what not even the mover dares stand up and advocate.

There was thundering applause throughout the room, which was silenced by the Chair, who said he hoped there would be no personal allusions. The mover of the bill happened to be a member of the committee sitting, and so could not appear to advocate it.

Rev. Mr. Jones closed his remarks with "We love the charter because of the enemies it has made." Again there was applause.

Mr. H. W. H. Powel talked about ways of doing public business, and the better results coming from a few sitting about a table to consider business matters. He said he would like to see the charter amended.

Alderman Frank J. Hughes said he appeared as a citizen opposed to the passage of the bill. He believed the present Representative Council is a school of instruction for young citizens and that the aldermen should be elected at large, as at present, and not by wards.

Dr. Charles A. Brackett disclaimed that he came as other than an individual. He said if we consider the present agitation properly there would be two sides to it; one which remained concealed until a very late date, when it was claimed to be a child of the Republican city committee and promptly denied, as being the idea of only some members of the committee. In essence he said it is only a party measure. The party politician has had his place, but has no place in the city affairs of Newport now. Much has been done under the new charter, but of course not everything. Where the charter has failed he believed was where the politicians had put in their fine work.

The city formerly exceeded its income, but it is now on a better basis. He made a brief review of some of the benefits from the charter. In the first place many of the citizens have learned something about the city's business, and for that reason are better citizens. Many of them have taken such an interest in affairs that they have become unsalaried office holders, and hence not officials of the political type. The affairs of the city are run more like the affairs of an old-fashioned town, and thus the people are able to obtain a hearing and are not stifled by the desires of the political directors.

A large part of the city's most important business, the making up of the budget and appropriations for the year, is determined in the Committee of Twenty-Five, a body carefully selected by an impartial chairman, and representing all elements. If the proposed change is made and a Council of 25 members be chosen, there will be lost the opportunity for making this excellent selection. What a miserable going back it would be!

Under the provisions of the present charter it is impossible for any officer, or head of department to expend any money without an authorization by the Representative Council. As a result the city has no floating debt, no overdraft. If the charter has failed in other particulars it is worth while that the finances of the city are in such good condition, a condition due mainly to this provision of the charter.

In conclusion Dr. Brackett urged the committee not to plunge the city into that deplorable condition from which we have escaped. The present city government is a lively experiment in self government which many believe is the best practical illustration of what a city government should be. Dr. Brackett was [illegible] at the conclusion of his address.

Mr. H. A. Titus spoke briefly, pointing to two significant facts, that no argument had been presented in favor of the bill and that a petition signed by more than 1,000 inhabitants of the city protesting against it should be conclusive proof that the citizens of Newport are largely opposed to any change.

Mr. J. K. Sullivan asked to be allowed to add one thing more to his statement. He said the only persons whom he had heard speak in favor of the bill are the office seekers, who say they do not have time to go around to the 195 members when they are seeking office.

Jeremiah A. Sullivan spoke especially of the clause changing the ward lines to correspond to the Assembly district lines. This, he said, is one of the principal reasons why certain persons are pushing the bill. This is entirely a political reason. The ward lines give a fairly equal vote in each of the five wards. In the Assembly district divisions the First ward has only 790 voters, while the Second ward has 1,460. If the Assembly district lines are made the ward lines, a considerable number of voters will be taken from the First to the Second, enough to effect perhaps a political change in the former while their Democratic presence would be lost in the overwhelming Republican majority of the Second ward.

It is said that the present Council membership is unwieldy. Why and to whom is it unwieldy? The framers of the charter undoubtedly purposely made the Council "unwieldy," so that no person or group of persons could control the members. In conclusion Mr. Sullivan urged that the change of the ward lines is to the promoters the essential part of the proposed change.

At the conclusion of Mr. Sullivan's remarks Chairman Sumner asked if any one else wished to speak, and receiving no response immediately closed the hearing.

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## WALLACE HATCH TO RESIGN

Secretary of Anti-Tuberculosis Association to Take New Position.

Mr. Wallace Hatch, secretary of the Rhode Island Anti-Tuberculosis Association, expects to accept the position of assistant chief of the Department of Education in the Panama-Pacific International Exposition. He will leave for Washington shortly to confer with the officials of the department, and will probably resign from the Anti-Tuberculosis Association. In his new position Mr. Hatch will remain in Washington until just before the exposition commences and will then transfer his activities to the exposition grounds until it is over. Mr. Hatch came to Rhode Island in September, 1909. After he was graduated from Tufts College in 1902 he became a volunteer worker in Chicago in 1903. For four years he was in Washington as assistant secretary of the Associated Charities. In 1907 he went to the Pennsylvania Society for the Prevention of Tuberculosis and remained there until 1909, when he came to Providence. He was actively engaged in tuberculosis work and in lecturing on school hygiene and other general health topics. He was secretary for two years of the Social Workers' Club of Rhode Island and for one year was secretary of the State Conference on Charities and Corrections.

## STORM IN NEW YORK.

Fine Snow Adds to Saturday's Layer of Nearly Ten Inches.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—A fine snow began sifting over Greater New York and environs shortly before 7 o'clock, adding to the layer of nearly 10 inches which fell during Saturday's blizzard. Indications were the fall would continue a good part of the day. The temperature at 9 a. m. was 17 degrees above zero.

Della Marcus, a domestic, collapsed in the street on her way to work today and died a few minutes later.

With 16,000 shovelers and drivers working constantly since Saturday morning, scarcely a dent has been made today in the mass of snow that fell Friday night and Saturday. In Manhattan, Brooklyn and the Bronx there are 300 miles of streets covered by the snow. It is estimated that every inch of snow removed costs $50,000. With continued cold weather, the total cost of the recent snowstorm will reach $500,000 or more.

## TEN SHIPS OFF THE PORT.

The Utah, Delaware and Florida Arrive at Vera Cruz.

VERA CRUZ, Mexico, Feb. 16.—United States battleships Utah, Delaware and Florida arrived here today, bringing up the strength of the American fleet lying off the port to 10 battleships.

## FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16. Wall Street—The market opened with Amalgamated Copper at 76⅞, American Car Foundry 52, American Smelting and Refining 63½, Anaconda 37⅞, Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe 95⅞, Baltimore & Ohio 93¾, Brooklyn Rapid Transit 92½, Canadian Pacific 213¾, Central Leather 33¾, Colorado Fuel 32⅞, Consolidated Gas 134½, Delaware & Hudson 157¾, Erie 30¾, General Electric 148½, Great Northern preferred 131½, Missouri Pacific 26½, New York Central 89½, Norfolk & Western 104½, Northern Pacific 116½, Pennsylvania 112⅝, Reading 167¾, Republic Iron & Steel 35⅞, Rock Island preferred 10¼, Southern Pacific 95½, Southern Railway 26⅞, Union Pacific 162½, United States Steel 65½, Western Union 64⅞, Westinghouse Electric 70.

10:45—An active selling movement was begun at the outset today, and prices broke sharply in all parts of the list. The movement was most pronounced at first in the railroad stocks, whose heaviness was ascribed to the further suspension until September 12, by the Interstate Commerce Commission, of the 5 per cent increase in freight rates of Eastern roads. Shares of the Eastern carriers were weakened by this news. Bear operators seized the opportunity to put out new lines, and in the first half hour a score or more of stocks, including virtually all the popular issues, were forced down one to 2 points.

Noon—The severest setback which the market has experienced this year came today. Prices at last broke away from the approximate level which had been maintained for weeks. Further suspension of the new freight rate schedule by the Interstate Commerce Commission ended all hopes of a speedy advance, and railroad shares, bought in anticipation of a rise when the increase was granted, were unloaded. Industrials were depressed by reports of reductions in wages of Steel mill workers. Steel, which has been conspicuously firm recently, was sold freely, and weakness of this issue permeated the whole list. Liquidation of minor shares also had an unsettling effect. The break failed to attract outside buying, and the market made no recovery during the morning. Bonds were heavy. Call money steady at 1¾. Mercantile paper, 3¾ & 4¼. Exchanges, $213,621,421; balances, $10,960,553.

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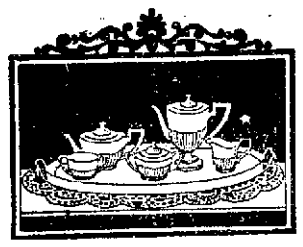

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## WHERE TO GO TODAY AND TOMORROW.

Monday.

Opera House—Feature Film, "When the Earth Trembled," and Other Motion Pictures.

Rogers High School—Debate, Rogers vs. English High of Providence.

Masonic Hall—Red Men's Social.

Roller Rink—Skating.

Tuesday.

Opera House—Feature Films and Other Motion Pictures.

Trinity Guild Hall—Lecture by Mrs. French E. Chadwick on "Russia."

St. Paul's Guild Hall, Portsmouth—Quahaug Supper.

Roller Rink—Skating.

## VETERAN OF CIVIL WAR.

### Mr. Edwin R. Simmons Dies Suddenly at Home of His Son.

Mr. Edwin R. Simmons, a veteran of the Civil war and father of Mr. Christopher J. Simmons, died suddenly at the home of his son on Gibbs avenue late Saturday afternoon, of disease incident to old age, in his eighty seventh year. He came to Newport to reside about 20 years ago, and for a short time was employed as agent for the New England Live Stock Company, but retired on account of advancing years.

He was born in Providence, his mother having been Miss Sarah Shrieve of Portsmouth. The greater part of his life was spent in Providence, and during the Civil war he served in the Eleventh Rhode Island volunteers. He was a member of Slocum Post, Grand Army of the Republic of Providence, and since coming to Newport had affiliated with Lawton-Warren Post. He is survived by one son and a number of grandchildren. The body will be taken to Riverside, to be buried in the family plot.

## RAY SANDS LITTLEFIELD.

### Prominent Resident of New Shoreham Passes Away Suddenly.

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The deceased was a son of Elam P. Littlefield and a brother of Lorenzo and Elam P. Littlefield, Jr. He married Sophronia, daughter of William M. Rose, and is survived by two children, Charity L., wife of Harry H. Pease of Portland, Maine, and Harold R. Littlefield of New Shoreham. Mr. Littlefield was a member of Rhode Island Lodge, No. 32, Knights of Pythias, of New Shoreham.

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The funeral of Charles Thurston Weaver, Sunday afternoon at St. John's Church, was conducted by Rev. Charles F. Beattie assisted by the full vested choir. Excelsior Lodge, No. 49, I. O. O. F., of which the deceased was a member, attended in a body, accompanied by members of Rhode Island Lodge, and under the direction of Noble Grand Harry L. Vickers performed the Odd Fellows burial ritual at the grave in the Old cemetery. The bearers were John R. Austin, Henry C. Bennett, Charles S. Crandall, Chester J. Thomas, Walter C. Pember and H. G. Stewart.

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## GOING INTO LEAGUE BASE BALL.

### Ralph O'Connell Signs With Providence of the Internationals.

#### Crack Trojan Player Sought by Managers of Many First-Class Teams.

Ralph O'Connell, a well known member of the Trojan Club, is to go into League base ball, having Saturday signed a contract with Manager Donovan of the Providence team of the International League. He will go to Savannah, Ga., for the spring training.

O'Connell first came into prominence as a base ball player three years ago, with the Trojans, and for two years made an excellent record in both fielding and batting. In 1912 he joined the Regents of the Providence City League and continued to make good. Last year he went to Seton Hall and played on the college team, and later in the summer joined the Rumfords of the Providence Amateur League. His batting and fielding with this team was of a brilliant character, giving him a place on the all-star team. His batting average was .397.

His uniformly excellent playing has attracted the attention of the league managers, and O'Connell has been asked to play in several places, but had not made up his mind to go into the big game. Manager Burkett of the Worcester New England League club had been after him to play at Worcester, in the place of Cooney, another Trojan player, who has been drafted to the Boston Americans. O'Connell and Cooney played together on the Trojans, and Cooney's good work on the Worcester team had considerable to do with calling the attention of the league manager to O'Connell.

"Stuffy" McInnis of the Philadelphia Athletics recommended him to Connie Mack, who intended to take him south for the training trip, but Mack's list was over-ridden with players and he was unable to take him with the team. Mack, however, wrote a letter to Jack Dunn, manager of the Baltimore team of the International League, asking him to give O'Connell a thorough try out, but O'Connell did not accept this offer. The manager of the Wilkesbarre team also was negotiating for O'Connell.

O'Connell will have an excellent chance on the Providence team. Deal, the third baseman, was drafted to the Boston Nationals, and Louden, who had been selected for the place, has signed with the Federals, so that O'Connell will be chosen to fill the place, and if he makes good in the training season, will probably be made the regular third baseman. The Providence team is made up of young, fast fielders, and the opportunity to play with them will be just what O'Connell desires. He is a fine fielder, with an excellent throwing arm, and at the bat and on the bases shows plenty of nerve and good head work. He is one of the youngest men ever to leave Newport to play league ball, and has plenty of time to learn the "inside" base ball which is never shown in amateur games, and a good chance for advancement. He is 20 years old, weighs about 165 pounds and stands 5 feet 10½ inches in his stocking feet.

## WINTER ENTERTAINMENTS.

### Subscription Social, The Dansant and Valentine Party for Rogers Class.

The invitation subscription dance at the Civic League House Saturday evening was largely attended, the rooms being taxed to their utmost. Many engaged in bridge whist, while others participated in the dancing, which included a number of the new dances, in which some are experts. Mrs. Edward A. Brown, Mrs. Philip Caswell, Mrs. Carl Jurgens, Jr., Mrs. Charles S. Landers, Miss Catherine Wallace Cottrell and Miss Alice McCarthy received and Judge Hugh Barkly Baker, ex-Mayor William MacLeod and Messrs. E. A. Brown, Philip Caswell, Charles S. Landers and Carl Jurgens, Jr., acted as ushers. McCloskey's orchestra furnished the music. The dance was arranged by the Misses Cottrell and McCarthy for the benefit of the Camp Fire Girls and their funds were materially increased as a result.

In spite of the inclement weather there was a good number at the The Dansant under the direction of Miss Helen Melville Weaver at Masonic hall Saturday afternoon. The decorations were of valentines, in keeping with the day. Among those entertaining at the table were Lieutenant Commander and Mrs. W. S. Pye of the Naval War College, Surgeon David G. Allen of the naval hospital, Mrs. Oliver W. Huntington, Lieutenant Charles L. Gilbert of Fort Adams, ex-Mayor William MacLeod, Mr. Goodwin Hobbs, Mrs. Alfred G. Langley, Miss Vernon, Mr. George D. Trerotnuellcliffe and Mrs. J. Alton Barker.

The members of the Senior class in stenography and typewriting at the Rogers High School were entertained by Mrs. M. Anna Ford, teacher of the commercial department, at the Middletown town hall Saturday evening. The entertainment was in the form of a Valentine party, with appropriate decorations and flowers. Music was furnished by Puddington's orchestra for the dancing, which included several novelties, among them the John Paul Jones and Tag dance. Refreshments were served.

## THE EAST WINS.

### Clarence C. Pell Captures Racquets Championships.

It was East against West for the gold racquets championship title in the final round at the Tuxedo Club court, Tuxedo, N. Y., and the East won, three games to one. Clarence C. Pell of the Tuxedo Tennis and Racquet Club, defeated C. G. Osborne of the University Club, Chicago, 15-5, 15-11, 17-15, 15-10; 60 aces to 43. Mr. Pell won the open championship of the New York Tennis and Racquet Club two weeks ago and at Montreal a week earlier captured the amateur championship of Canada. He is entered in the national championship at Boston next week, and his friends say he has a good chance of bringing home the cup.

## TO CHALLENGE ROGERS.

### Wellesley Eager to Play Series for Championship of New England.

The merits of the Rogers basket ball team have been recognized by Wellesley High, acknowledged champions of the Greater Boston Interscholastic League, who are to challenge Rogers for the championship of both states. The games suggested are to be played in Newport Wednesday, February 18, and in Boston Saturday, February 21, and if a rubber game is needed it will no doubt be played on a neutral floor.

Wellesley is the leading team in Massachusetts, although several have excellent records and on the strength of them lay claim to the state championship. That Wellesley has an "edge" on these is shown by the fact that it won the Greater Boston championship last Saturday evening, when it defeated Revere in the last game in the league. Moreover, Wellesley has gone through the season undefeated and has credit for victories over such well known quintets as Winthrop High, which it defeated in a sensational game by the close score of 21-20; Quincy High, which Rogers was to play last Saturday, by a score of 20-18, and also every team in eastern Massachusetts.

The Wellesley captain acknowledges that the claims of Rogers for championship honors are better than those of other teams, and accordingly the Wellesley champions are eager to play a series to decide the championship of New England. According to the Boston Globe of Saturday and the Boston Herald of Sunday, Wellesley intends challenging Rogers for games on the dates mentioned, although Manager Sweeney of Rogers has not yet received formal notice.

Both Rogers and Wellesley have clean slates, Rogers winning 11 straight and Wellesley 13 straight. With its full strength in the field Rogers can hope for victory here, as the locals are almost unbeatable on their own floor.

The only hitch in arranging the games as desired by Wellesley is that Rogers plays Hollaston High in Newport Friday evening.

## MIDDLETOWN.

### Heavy Wind Causes Damage and Cross Roads Impassable in Storm.

[Regular correspondence of the News.]

During the heavy wind Saturday morning a portion of the roof of the barn, belonging to Frank Lewis on Green End avenue, near Paradise avenue, was blown off. The hay exposed was covered with sail cloth. Sashes of cold frames were also damaged. The traveling Saturday was extremely bad, and in the morning many of the cross roads were impassable, not being thoroughly opened until Sunday noon. The icy roads made it imperative that horses be sharpened, and one blacksmith sharpened many on Sunday, although he had had a strenuous day Saturday.

Owing to the poor condition of the roads there were but few present Sunday morning at the Berkeley Memorial chapel. Rev. John B. Diman conducted a short service.

Rev. S. W. Irwin, president of East Greenwich Academy, spoke before a good-sized congregation at the Methodist Episcopal Church Sunday afternoon on "Christian Education." The trustees are planning to enlarge the work this year. President Irwin invited those who had formerly attended, or who had friends there to remain at the close of the service, that he might meet them.

St. Columba's Guild is planning to try a new feature, the afternoon's work to be followed by a supper to members who will continue the sewing into the evening. Should this meet with favor it will be adopted permanently. A new sewing machine is to be purchased for the guild rooms.

Mr. Lewis R. Manchester is to serve one of his quahaug chowders at the bazaar to be given at Holy Cross guild house by St. Mary's Choir Guild. The last meeting for the completion of arrangements was held with Mrs. I. L. Sherman, East Main road.

The severity of the weather prevented a large attendance at the Epworth League cottage service held with Mrs. William Irish on Wapping road. The pastor, Rev. E. E. Wells, acted as leader.

The February meeting of Newport County Pomona Grange will be devoted to a "Washington Social."

The total enumeration of the public school census, 1913 to 1914, is 382. That of the previous year was 378.

## A THIRTY-INCH DASH.

### Popular Feature of Social Athletic Meet at the Army and Navy.

Once more the usual crowd of enlisted men favored the Army and Navy Young Men's Christian Association with their presence Saturday afternoon and evening. The magnet for this gathering was a social athletic meet, given in the members' room at 7:30. In spite of the large quantities of slippery ice between the Association and the Training Station, this magnet proved its power, for it drew together an exceptionally large crowd of lads. A game of indoor basket ball was had, putting the men in an enjoyable frame of mind. The men were then invited into the members' room where the shot put, a tug-of-war, a standing toe wrestle, an Indian wrestle, a rooster fight and a flour grasp invoked a continuous stream of good nature, which was nothing to that which greeted the 30-inch dash. When the boys caught on, the hilarity put all former demonstrations in the shade.

Sunday the usual meeting with song service was held at 4:30. Classes for Bible Study followed, after which the men adjourned to the First Methodist Episcopal Church, where luncheon was served by the Ladies' Aid. A social hour followed, and the boys attended the evening service, where Rev. Joseph Cooper preached an instructive sermon on "Manhood." This subject was especially adapted to Mr. Cooper's audience.

## THE NEW BATTLESHIPS.

The new battleships Texas and New York will be placed in commission early in March. The New York, which is being fitted out at the New York navy yard, probably will not be ready for sea until several weeks after going into commission. The Texas will not be ready for sea until about the middle of April. Captain Albert W. Grant will command the Texas, and Captain Thomas S. Rodgers the New York.

## A WINTER SUNDAY.

### Another Drop in Temperature Followed by Higher Mercury and Snow.

#### Total Precipitation Small, But Supply of the Brooks Receives Welcome Addition.

The weather has continued to justify the weather man's predictions, even if it has also failed to satisfy the ordinary mortal. He predicted that the temperature in New York Sunday would be down to 8 and Monday down to zero. He did not specifically mention Newport's temperature, but Sunday morning it was down to about 12, and at the same rate should have been down to about 5 this morning. It was 8 above at the Water Works pumping station at 8 this morning. Then it began going up, and when the snow came at 8 it promised to lift the temperature a trifle and it did.

Saturday afternoon the slush did not begin to harden as soon as had been feared and the highway department had time to clear a large length of gutters and let a great deal of water flow off. On Thames street, however, it seemed that none had escaped, for the passing vehicles filled the gutters and the water lay in big pools wherever one wished to cross. Despite the weather conditions, especially the walking, there were many out Saturday night and the constant crossing of Thames street made the sidewalks crossed dry shod.

It was down to 30 early in the evening, but still the snow was melting and roofs were dripping. It was not until about 9, with the temperature down to 27, that things began to harden up and then they hardened gradually, for the slush seemed to be rather warm. By midnight the thermometer was down to 18. It still continued to go down and early Sunday morning 13 was noted at 8. Some thermometers recorded as low as 10.

Everything which had been fluid or slushy Saturday, in the temporary warm spell, was solid Sunday. There were many smooth sections of ice and many which were not smooth. It was a great chance for folks who were looking for an excuse to escape going to church, to plead the weather, and many took advantage of it. The walking was dry, even if it was rough and in places slippery, and it was not so cold as it looked. The sun was doing good work and the wind was northwest still. The best the thermometers the sunshine the ice melted and if the sunshine the ice melted and it felt comfortable, but in the shade there was a shade toward the icy in the feeling. It was a winter Sunday, all right, in appearance and feeling.

Those who desired to use horses Monday, and had not seen ahead Saturday, led their horses about Sunday to be sharpened. It may not have been legal, but that many horses are doing work today is due to the fact that the shoers were open Sunday. The ashes collectors were also doing business Sunday. They were also caught Saturday and were behind, and they knew there was no diminution in the ashes output with the mercury hovering around zero.

The temperature dropped again Sunday night until at 8 this morning the low mark of 6 was reached at the Water Works pumping station. Then the mercury began to rise and at 8 it was up to 15 and still coming. So was the snow, which began to fall softly and prettily, and also abundantly, about that time.

Everything in the ice and snow line was just as hard as it had been Sunday morning, but not so slippery, for the city men had been out and had put gravel on crossings. Others had put out ashes, and it was noticed that many had not shovelled their walks. They were so many that it might be said those who did not shovel were in the great majority. Nature helped, as the rain and passing feet did a great deal toward cleaning walks.

The ice men Sunday marked out at Lily and Green End ponds. The ice ran from 6½ to 7 and more inches. This morning the cutters were under way at both ponds, running in fairly good ice. They hope to harvest some out of this cold snap and do not intend losing any time. The ice really ought to be thicker, but they cannot afford to wait.

The total precipitation, snow and ice, of the storm of Saturday morning and late Friday night was only .39 of an inch, according to the Water Works rain gauge. It did seem that it must have been more, but the wind may have blown away some of the snow.

The addition to the supply of the brooks has been welcome, for during this cold snap the faucets have been left open and the water has gone to waste at an alarming rate. More than six and a half million gallons were pumped for two days, and then the waste and consumption exceeded the amount pumped. Yet it is safer to shut off the water than to let it run. Sometimes the wasteway is not clear and results are disastrous. There was not so much freezing during this last cold snap as during the one of mid-January; that was the worst freezing spell the Water Works has experienced.

The small boy, and girl, had a chance with his sled Sunday, and took it. The sleighs also were out, and the skaters.

One of the Fall River cars jumped the rails at Quaker Hill Sunday morning, in consequence of the ice. It struck a tree, but not much damage was done to the car and the occupants escaped. There was a derailment on the steam trolley between Fall River and Warren Sunday night, which also resulted in more inconvenience than damage.

The softly falling snow this morning soon covered the ice and one could not tell by looking which sections were of smooth ice without covering and which had been cared for and were safe. This shows that even on a cold day like Sunday it pays to put ashes on smooth ice. It may snow, as it did today.

The New York boat was hung up at Fall River nearly an hour Sunday night by the ice and reached here about 9:50. Steamer City of Newport did not go to Providence this morning. Ice in the river as far south as Providence and the promise of a snowstorm were the restraining causes. It was reported from Providence that it required two tugs and her own power to take the big collier Ravenswood away from her dock Sunday.

Schooners Oakwoods of this city and Allan Gurney, well known here were ashore Saturday in the high tide and wind at New London, but both came off without injury.

Captain Kenyon of the life saving station reports that Sunday Surfman King picked up a dory on the shore between the Davis and Perry places, at the entrance to the bay. It was 14 feet long, painted red and apparently from a barge.

Captain Kenyon reported this afternoon the wind shifting to the eastward and indications of a change. The temperature had moderated and the sea has gone down.

A number of tugs are tied up at the docks, awaiting better weather.

## OUT OF THE ORDINARY.

### Young Men's Club Arrange "An Entertainment That's Different."

"An Entertainment That's Different" is the happy title which the Young Men's Club of the United Congregational Church has given its offering for Thursday and Friday evenings of the present week. The young men have endeavored to arrange a program out of the ordinary and appealing to every one.

The program will open with 45 minutes of minstrelsy, not made up of the slap-dash material common but specialties of a drawing room nature, backed by a chorus of men and women. The first part will consist of concert numbers by Miss Caroline Anthony, Mrs. Frank S. Hale, Messrs. Roderick McLeod, Alexander W. Thompson, Jr., and William Martland. The program will conclude with a farce full of comical situations and humorous lines, interpreted by a cast thoroughly at home in their parts and enthusiastic in their efforts to make it a success.

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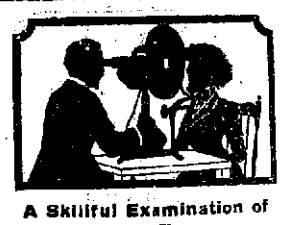

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## WHERE TO GO TODAY AND TOMORROW.

Monday.

Opera House—Feature Film, "When the Earth Trembled," and Other Motion Pictures.

Rogers High School—Debate, Rogers vs. English High of Providence.

Masonic Hall—Red Men's Social.

Roller Rink—Skating.

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### Ralph O'Connell Signs With Providence of the Internationals.

#### Crack Trojan Player Sought by Managers of Many First-Class Teams.

Ralph O'Connell, a well known member of the Trojan Club, is to go into League base ball, having Saturday signed a contract with Manager Donovan of the Providence team of the International League. He will go to Savannah, Ga., for the spring training.

O'Connell first came into prominence as a base ball player three years ago, with the Trojans, and for two years made an excellent record in both fielding and batting. In 1912 he joined the Regents of the Providence City League and continued to make good. Last year he went to Seton Hall and played on the college team, and later in the summer joined the Rumfords of the Providence Amateur League. His batting and fielding with this team was of a brilliant character, giving him a place on the all-star team. His batting average was .397.

His uniformly excellent playing has attracted the attention of the league managers, and O'Connell has been asked to play in several places, but had not made up his mind to go into the big game. Manager Burkett of the Worcester New England League club had been after him to play at Worcester, in the place of Cooney, another Trojan player, who has been drafted to the Boston Americans. O'Connell and Cooney played together on the Trojans, and Cooney's good work on the Worcester team had considerable to do with calling the attention of the league manager to O'Connell.

"Stuffy" McInnis of the Philadelphia Athletics recommended him to Connie Mack, who intended to take him south for the training trip, but Mack's list was over-ridden with players and he was unable to take him with the team. Mack, however, wrote a letter to Jack Dunn, manager of the Baltimore team of the International League, asking him to give O'Connell a thorough try out, but O'Connell did not accept this offer. The manager of the Wilkesbarre team also was negotiating for O'Connell.

O'Connell will have an excellent chance on the Providence team. Deal, the third baseman, was drafted to the Boston Nationals, and Louden, who had been selected for the place, has signed with the Federals, so that O'Connell will be chosen to fill the place, and if he makes good in the training season, will probably be made the regular third baseman. The Providence team is made up of young, fast fielders, and the opportunity to play with them will be just what O'Connell desires. He is a fine fielder, with an excellent throwing arm, and at the bat and on the bases shows plenty of nerve and good head work. He is one of the youngest men ever to leave Newport to play league ball, and has plenty of time to learn the "inside" base ball which is never shown in amateur games, and a good chance for advancement. He is 20 years old, weighs about 165 pounds and stands 5 feet 10½ inches in his stocking feet.

## WINTER ENTERTAINMENTS.

### Subscription Social, The Dansant and Valentine Party for Rogers Class.

The invitation subscription dance at the Civic League House Saturday evening was largely attended, the rooms being taxed to their utmost. Many engaged in bridge whist, while others participated in the dancing, which included a number of the new dances, in which some are experts. Mrs. Edward A. Brown, Mrs. Philip Caswell, Mrs. Carl Jurgens, Jr., Mrs. Charles S. Landers, Miss Catherine Wallace Cottrell and Miss Alice McCarthy received and Judge Hugh Barkly Baker, ex-Mayor William MacLeod and Messrs. E. A. Brown, Philip Caswell, Charles S. Landers and Carl Jurgens, Jr., acted as ushers. McCluskey's orchestra furnished the music. The dance was arranged by the Misses Cottrell and McCarthy for the benefit of the Camp Fire Girls and their funds were materially increased as a result.

In spite of the inclement weather there was a good number at the The Dansant under the direction of Miss Helen Melville Weaver at Masonic hall Saturday afternoon. The decorations were of valentines, in keeping with the day. Among those entertaining at the table were Lieutenant Commander and Mrs. W. S. Pye of the Naval War College, Surgeon David G. Allen of the naval hospital, Mrs. Oliver W. Huntington, Lieutenant Charles L. Gilbert of Fort Adams, ex-Mayor William MacLeod, Mr. Goodwin Hobbs, Mrs. Alfred G. Langley, Miss Vernon, Mr. George D. Trerenuelcliffe and Mrs. J. Alton Barker.

The members of the Senior class in stenography and typewriting at the Rogers High School were entertained by Mrs. M. Anna Ford, teacher of the commercial department, at the Middletown town hall Saturday evening. The entertainment was in the form of a Valentine party, with appropriate decorations and flowers. Music was furnished by Puddington's orchestra for the dancing, which included several novelties, among them the John Paul Jones and Tag dance. Refreshments were served.

## THE EAST WINS.

### Clarence C. Pell Captures Racquets Championships.

It was East against West for the gold racquets championship title in the final round at the Tuxedo Club court, Tuxedo, N. Y., and the East won, three games to one. Clarence C. Pell of the Tuxedo Tennis and Racquet Club, defeated C. G. Osborne of the University Club, Chicago, 15-5, 15-11, 17-15, 15-10; 60 aces to 43. Mr. Pell won the open championship of the New York Tennis and Racquet Club two weeks ago and at Montreal a week earlier captured the amateur championship of Canada. He is entered in the national championship at Boston next week, and his friends say he has a good chance of bringing home the cup.

## TO CHALLENGE ROGERS.

### Wellesley Eager to Play Series for Championship of New England.

The merits of the Rogers basket ball team have been recognized by Wellesley High, acknowledged champions of the Greater Boston Interscholastic League, who are to challenge Rogers for the championship of both states. The games suggested are to be played in Newport Wednesday, February 18, and in Boston Saturday, February 21, and if a rubber game is needed it will no doubt be played on a neutral floor.

Wellesley is the leading team in Massachusetts, although several have excellent records and on the strength of them lay claim to the state championship. That Wellesley has an "edge" on these is shown by the fact that it won the Greater Boston championship last Saturday evening, when it defeated Revere in the last game in the league. Moreover, Wellesley has gone through the season undefeated and has credit for victories over such well known quintets as Winthrop High, which it defeated in a sensational game by the close score of 21-20; Quincy High, which Rogers was to play last Saturday, by a score of 29-16, and also every team in eastern Massachusetts.

The Wellesley captain acknowledges that the claims of Rogers for championship honors are better than those of other teams, and accordingly the Wellesley champions are eager to play a series to decide the championship of New England. According to the Boston Globe of Saturday and the Boston Herald of Sunday, Wellesley intends challenging Rogers for games on the dates mentioned, although Manager Sweeney of Rogers has not yet received formal notice.

Both Rogers and Wellesley have clean slates, Rogers winning 11 straight and Wellesley 13 straight. With its full strength in the field Rogers can hope for victory here, as the locals are almost unbeatable on their own floor.

The only hitch in arranging the games as desired by Wellesley is that Rogers plays Hollston High in Newport Friday evening.

## MIDDLETOWN.

### Heavy Wind Causes Damage and Cross Roads Impassable in Storm.

[Regular correspondence of the News.]

During the heavy wind Saturday morning a portion of the roof of the barn belonging to Frank Lewis on Green End avenue, near Paradise avenue, was blown off. The hay exposed was covered with tail cloth. Sashes of cold frames were also damaged. The traveling Saturday was extremely bad, and in the morning many of the cross roads were impassable, not being thoroughly opened until Sunday noon. The icy roads made it imperative that horses be sharpened, and one blacksmith sharpened many on Sunday, although he had had a strenuous day Saturday.

Owing to the poor condition of the roads there were but few present Sunday morning at the Berkeley Memorial chapel. Rev. John B. Diman conducted a short service.

Rev. S. W. Irwin, president of East Greenwich Academy, spoke before a good-sized congregation at the Methodist Episcopal Church Sunday afternoon on "Christian Education." The trustees are planning to enlarge the week this year. President Irwin invited those who had formerly attended, or who had friends there to remain at the close of the service, that he might meet them.

St. Columba's Guild is planning to try a new feature, the afternoon's work to be followed by a supper to members, who will continue the sewing into the evening. Should this meet with favor it will be adopted permanently. A new sewing machine is to be purchased for the guild rooms.

Mr. Lewis R. Manchester is to serve one of his quahaug chowders at the bazaar to be given at Holy Cross guild house by St. Mary's Choir Guild. The last meeting for the completion of arrangements was held with Mrs. I. L. Sherman, East Main road.

The severity of the weather prevented a large attendance at the Epworth League cottage service held with Mrs. William Irish on Wapping road. The pastor, Rev. E. E. Wells, acted as leader.

The February meeting of Newport County Pomona Grange will be devoted to a "Washington Social."

The total enumeration of the public school census, 1913 to 1914, is 382. That of the previous year was 378.

## A THIRTY-INCH DASH.

### Popular Feature of Social Athletic Meet at the Army and Navy.

Once more the usual crowd of enlisted men favored the Army and Navy Young Men's Christian Association with their presence Saturday afternoon and evening. The magnet for this gathering was a social athletic meet, given in the members' room at 7:30. In spite of the large quantities of slippery ice between the Association and the Training Station, this magnet proved its power, for it drew together an exceptionally large crowd of lads. A game of indoor basket ball was had, putting the men in an enjoyable frame of mind. The men were then invited into the members' room where the shot put, a tug-of-war, a standing toe wrestle, an Indian wrestle, a rooster fight and a flour grasp invoked a continuous stream of good nature, which was nothing to that which greeted the 30-inch dash. When the boys caught on, the hilarity put all former demonstrations in the shade.

Sunday the usual meeting with song service was held at 4:30. Classes for Bible Study followed, after which the men adjourned to the First Methodist Episcopal Church, where luncheon was served by the Ladies' Aid. A social hour followed, and the boys attended the evening service, where Rev. Joseph Cooper preached an instructive sermon on "Manhood." This subject was especially adapted to Mr. Cooper's audience.

## THE NEW BATTLESHIPS.

The new battleships Texas and New York will be placed in commission early in March. The New York, which is being fitted out at the New York navy yard, probably will not be ready for sea until several weeks after going into commission. The Texas will not be ready for sea until about the middle of April. Captain Albert W. Grant will command the Texas, and Captain Thomas S. Rodgers the New York.

## A WINTER SUNDAY.

### Another Drop in Temperature Followed by Higher Mercury and Snow.

#### Total Precipitation Small, But Supply of the Brooks Receives Welcome Addition.

The weather has continued to justify the weather man's predictions, even if it has also failed to satisfy the ordinary mortal. He predicted that the temperature in New York Sunday would be down to 8 and Monday down to zero. He did not specifically mention Newport's temperature, but Sunday morning it was down to about 12, and at the same rate should have been down to about 6 this morning. It was 8 above at the Water Works pumping station at 3 this morning. Then it began going up, and when the snow came at 8 it promised to lift the temperature a trifle and it did.

Saturday afternoon the slush did not begin to harden as soon as had been feared and the highway department had time to clear a large length of gutters and let a great deal of water flow off. On Thames street, however, it seemed that none had escaped, for the passing vehicles filled the gutters and the water lay in big pools wherever one wished to cross. Despite the weather conditions, especially the walking, there were many out Saturday night and the constant crossing of Thames street made the sidewalks crossed dry shod.

It was down to 30 early in the evening, but still the snow was melting and roofs were dripping. It was not until about 9, with the temperature down to 27, that things began to harden up and then they hardened gradually, for the slush seemed to be rather warm. By midnight the thermometer was down to 18. It still continued to go down and early Sunday morning 13 was noted at 5. Some thermometers recorded as low as 10.

Everything which had been fluid or slushy Saturday, in the temporary warm spell, was solid Sunday. There were many smooth sections of ice and many which were not smooth. It was a great chance for folks who were looking for an excuse to escape going to church, to plead the weather, and many took advantage of it. The walking was dry, even if it was rough and in places slippery, and it was not so cold as it looked. The sun was doing good work and the wind was northwest still. The best the thermometers the sunshine the ice melted and it the sunshine the ice melted and it felt comfortable, but in the shade there was a shade toward the icy in the feeling. It was a winter Sunday, all right, in appearance and feeling.

Those who desired to use horses Monday, and had not seen ahead Saturday, led their horses about Sunday to be sharpened. It may not have been legal, but that many horses are doing work today is due to the fact that the shoers were open Sunday. The ashes collectors were also doing business Sunday. They were also caught Saturday and were behind, and they knew there was no diminution in the ashes output with the mercury hovering around zero.

The temperature dropped again Sunday night until at 8 this morning the low mark of 6 was reached at the Water Works pumping station. Then the mercury began to rise and at 8 it was up to 15 and still coming. So was the snow, which began to fall softly and prettily, and also abundantly, about that time.

Everything in the ice and snow line was just as hard as it had been Sunday morning, but not so slippery, for the city men had been out and had put gravel on crossings. Others had put out ashes, and it was noticed that many had not shovelled their walks. They were so many that it might be said those who did not shovel were in the great majority. Nature helped, as the rain and passing feet did a great deal toward cleaning walks.

The ice men Sunday marked out at Lily and Green End ponds. The ice ran from 6½ to 7 and more inches. This morning the cutters were under way at both ponds, running in fairly good ice. They hope to harvest some out of this cold snap and do not intend losing any time. The ice really ought to be thicker, but they cannot afford to wait.

The total precipitation, snow and ice, of the storm of Saturday morning and late Friday night was only .39 of an inch, according to the Water Works rain gauge. It did seem that it must have been more, but the wind may have blown away some of the snow.

The addition to the supply of the brooks has been welcome, for during this cold snap the faucets have been left open and the water has gone to waste at an alarming rate. More than six and a half million gallons were pumped for two days, and then the waste and consumption exceeded the amount pumped. Yet it is safer to shut off the water than to let it run. Sometimes the wasteway is not clear and results are disastrous. There was not so much freezing during this last cold snap as during the one of mid-January; that was the worst freezing spell the Water Works has experienced.

The small boy, and girl, had a chance with his sled Sunday, and took it. The sleighs also were out, and the skaters.

One of the Fall River cars jumped the rails at Quaker Hill Sunday morning, in consequence of the ice. It struck a tree, but not much damage was done to the car and the occupants escaped. There was a derailment on the steam trolley between Fall River and Warren Sunday night, which also resulted in more inconvenience than damage.

The softly falling snow this morning soon covered the ice and one could not tell by looking which sections were of smooth ice without covering and which had been cared for and were safe. This shows that even on a cold day like Sunday it pays to put ashes on smooth ice. It may snow, as it did today.

The New York boat was hung up at Fall River nearly an hour Sunday night by the ice and reached here about 9:50. Steamer City of Newport did not go to Providence this morning. Ice in the river as far south as Prudence and the promise of a snowstorm were the restraining causes. It was reported from Providence that it required two tugs and her own power to take the big collier Ravenswood away from her dock Sunday.

Schooners Oakwoods of this city and Allen Gurney, well known here were ashore Saturday in the high tide and wind at New London, but both came off without injury.

Captain Kenyon of the life saving station reports that Sunday Surfman King picked up a dory on the shore between the Davis and Perry places, at the entrance to the bay. It was 14 feet long, painted red and apparently from a barge.

Captain Kenyon reported this afternoon the wind shifting to the eastward and indications of a change. The temperature had moderated and the sea has gone down.

A number of tugs are tied up at the docks, awaiting better weather.

## OUT OF THE ORDINARY.

### Young Men's Club Arrange "An Entertainment That's Different."

"An Entertainment That's Different" is the happy title which the Young Men's Club of the United Congregational Church has given its offering for Thursday and Friday evenings of the present week. The young men have endeavored to arrange a program out of the ordinary and appealing to every one.

The program will open with 45 minutes of minstrelsy, not made up of the slap-dash material common but specialties of a drawing room nature, backed by a chorus of men and women. The first part will consist of concert numbers by Miss Caroline Anthony, Mrs. Frank S. Hale, Messrs. Roderick McLeod, Alexander W. Thompson, Jr., and William Martland. The program will conclude with a farce full of comical situations and humorous lines, interpreted by a cast thoroughly at home in their parts and enthusiastic in their efforts to make it a success.

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